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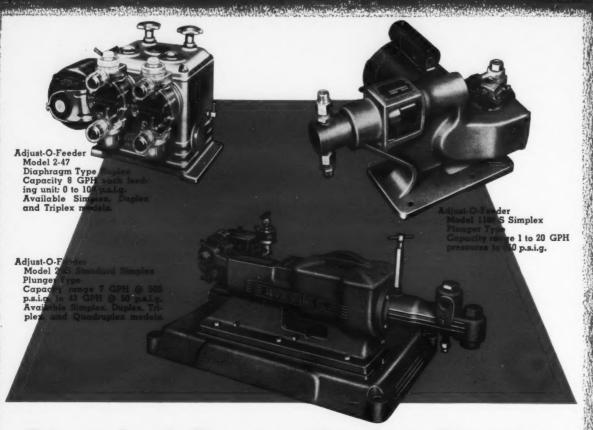
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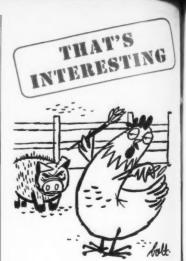
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Reuben W. Strickland

ASSISTANT EDITOR

THIS MONTH'S COVER

Dr. C. E. Kenneth Mees, father of modern color photography, is this month's Pioneer of Progress. Story of the long, arduous development of difficult laboratory processes to a successful industry, starts on page 10.

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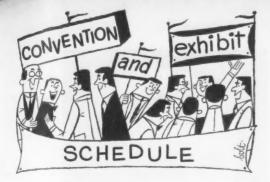
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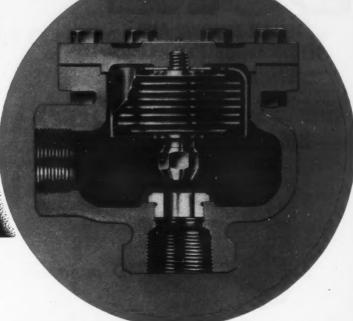
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Employe Communication Division Esso Standard Oil Company

Mr. Kolb is a graduate of Carnegie Tech and holds a Master's degree from the University of Michigan. His career at Esso started in 1934. In 1946, he was instrumental in reorganizing the training programs at Esso's headquarters, Mr. Kolb served as assistant manager of the Training Division for six years before assuming his present responsibilities.



communication pays off

Specific methods and devices used by any one company to secure a flow of information up and down the organization will vary widely. The real question is to find underlying principles which stimulate communication of this kind.

In a recent study conducted by our company, we found that employes want to know about their own local plant, sales division, or district office. They want some idea of how the economics of their own local unit will affect them and their own security. Out of such knowledge can come cooperation based on understanding. In recognition of this principle, one plant superintendent felt it wise to take his people into his confidence and give them practically every bit of information that was available to him.

This flow of information didn't just suddenly start, nor is it confined to employe forums. This plant has various devices for face-to-face group discussion. One is a periodic conference of all supervisors to exchange ideas on topics from top management. Even more important is a system of weekly staff meetings. One is held by the general superintendent for his department heads. Out of this meeting stems a series of lower-echelon staff meetings conducted by each department head with his own supervisors. These sessions are aimed at securing coordination through the exchange of operating information. They also provide an opportunity to explore other ideas, and send attitudes and ideas up and down the line.

The foreman has a job to do in his own group. His job isn't to sell anything. It's to bring information to the group on the company's viewpoints and actions. It's to get information from his group as to their ideas and attitudes. He has to relay this information back where it has a chance of influencing the decisions and actions of management.

A good communication system must stem from the belief that employes have a right to hear and a right to be heard. Communication isn't a device to sell, to convert, or to attack, it's a system for an exchange of information. We need to believe in the importance of this exchange.

There are many who say that, despite a great deal of talking about it, business has made little progress in building an upward flow of communication. Perhaps it is in recognition of this that business so often circumvents its normal channels of communication and reaches out for such things as attitude surveys. After all, what is such a survey but a device to give top management information on attitudes and feelings at one particular time on certain specific subjects? Would it not be better to put the effort into improving the upward flow of communication so that management would continue to get day by day a dynamic picture of the attitudes and feelings of its people?

Some companies have made efforts in this direction by bringing employes together in relatively small groups for frank discussion of matters of common interest. This approach has an important place. But it is a somewhat limited means because it occurs as a special occasion and not as a natural process. Such

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forums are frequently led by staff members and are not integrated into the line organization communication channels.

The alternative is to develop a basis for regular meetings of small groups of employes with their immediate supervisors. Such meetings demonstrate the leader's interest in his men. They stimulate positive reactions. They promote creative thinking. They provide an opportunity for the individual to ventilate his feelings while going along nevertheless with the majority. They build employe interest in activities of the group. The meeting is an opportunity for sharing and as such builds the feeling of participation so vital to cooperation. Groups accomplish more when they have looked at their goals and problems together and become of a mind to tackle them.

The real problem is to put group meetings of this kind on a regular basis. Management in general shies away from such programs. Many foremen agree that they would like these meetings, but most of them back away from taking the initiative.

What is needed first, then, is the means to develop in middle management some understanding of results that leadership of this type can accomplish. They need to believe in the wisdom of open communication and recognize the importance of the individual's viewpoint and the opportunities for cooperative behavior that spring from participative action. These phrases are accepted mainly as labels applicable to broad company programs. Their pay-off comes when middle management starts finding ways to apply them directly, through their own foremen's actions.

> The above is an abstract of an address by Mr. Kolb as presented in the AMA's bimonthly magazine Personnel, May 1954.

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PROCESSING are preparing extensive material covering corrosion problems to be incorporated into an expanded version of the regular Corrosion section.

The man pictured above — Dr. Aaron Wachter — is one of the country's foremost authorities in the field. His editorial — a penetrating analysis of present corrosion problems and control — leads off our feature section. As President of the National Association of Corrosion Engineers and head of Shell's Materials Engineering and Corrosion Department, Dr. Wachter has been a leading figure in this battle.

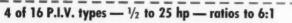
In another corrosion highlight, Chief Technician David Stewart and Associate Editor Gordon Weyermuller ("chief" of our monthly Corrosion Control section) describe Sinclair's successful fight against tube bundle corrosion through use of internally clad aluminum tubes.

(Our December cover pictures the Sinclair plant, a view of which is shown above.)

Reference tables of data, summaries of technical papers by corrosion experts, and many on-the-spot stories of installation problems will round out the section. We hope this feature coverage of corrosion control will provide additional "weapons" in your battle against this enemy.

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Processing Equipment highlight for December explains a high-velocity burner, operating on a jet principle, which mounts on a compact heat exchanger to give a heat transfer rate of $2\frac{1}{2}$ million Btu per hour. The unit measures only $3\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{1}{2}$ feet, operates on either gas, light oil, or gasoil combination.













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Here's a quick preview of features you'll find in December's Chemical Processing

Salt cake loss, contamination cut by pneumatic handling

National Container Corp.'s new kraft pulp mill at Valdosta, Georgia, is producing 500 tons of pulp per day with completely automatic control. Contributing to the success of its process is a pneumatic conveyor system designed to handle salt cake needed for cooking liquors. The system has cut labor costs and spillage loss, and permits economical bulk purchasing. Story of how the system works is featured in next month's Material Handling section.

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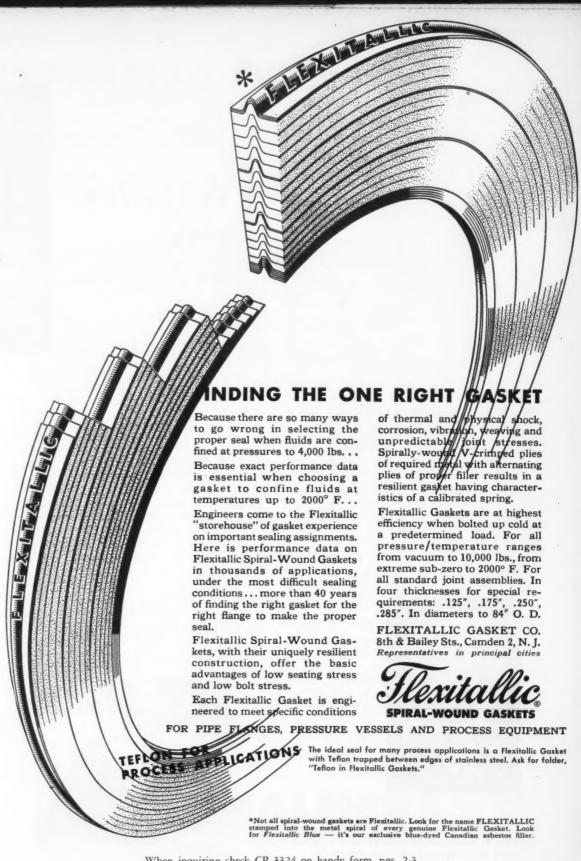
grade iron ore) into a pellet form suitable for use in blast furnaces. A horizontal "traveling-grate" furnace ignites pellets at 2300-2400°F, causing them to harden. Full-scale unit in operation at Mesabi Range, Minn., now produces 1000 tons per day. Story appears in the Ideas section.

How Sherwin-Williams solved dust collecting problem

In planning to expand beta-naphthol production at its Chicago plant, Sherwin-William tackled the old headache of dust collection and came up with a unit which has a collection efficiency of 95%. Assistant Editor Ted F. Meinhold and Sherwin-Williams Chemical Engineer Dr. E. G. Yee describe the unit in next month's "New Solutions" highlight.

And in brief . . .

Another "New Solutions" feature describes a multidiameter, single shell, horizontal rotary dryer used by New Jersey Menhaden Products, Inc., for more efficient drying of heat-sensitive material. . . Case history tells how technical service helped a textile manufacturer cut production costs by showing him how to make his own resins. . . and many other articles describe ideas, processes, and services in all our regular sections.



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Rembrandt spent two months, more or less, in painting a scene or portrait. If you are an average amateur photographer you can shoot a picture in color in two minutes — the actual picture-taking accomplished in a fraction of a second.

Behind this apparent simplicity lie years of hard and frustrating work. Only the exceptional determination of the technical people of Eastman Kodak has made practical...

capturing color on film



By thinking and working steadily to make photography available to everyone, everywhere, the Eastman Kodak Company has reduced picture taking to a simple routine . . . as easy as turning on a light or starting a car. But, like an iceberg, most of the ponderous work involved in picture-making is done out of sight. There's more to it than button pressing.

When a cartridge of exposed Kodachrome film is returned to the laboratory for developing it goes through 15 processing steps involving eight separate chemical baths. Six of these are as critical as a brain operation. Temperature throughout the process is held to 0.1°C, pH to 0.05 units. Wear in the bearings of agitators can change processing results. Even weather vagaries that might bring the debris of an atomic explosion across thousands of miles to Rochester, N. Y., have to be checked. And all of this precaution is necessary just for the job of processing the exposed film . . . making it is the hardest part!

Eastman Kodak's Kodachrome has been a growing commercial product since 1935. Before that there were color photographic processes, but not on the

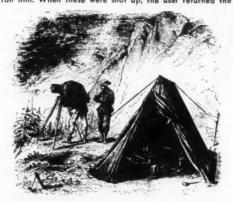
same scale. Color photos have been in existence since at least 1877, but even in the '20's a good 15" x 18" portrait might have cost \$1000. A far reach from today's situation where anyone with a reasonably good camera could have a color enlargement made for less than \$10.

Prior to 1935, Dr. C. E. Kenneth Mees and his colleagues of Eastman, working with two amateurs, Leopold Mannes and Leopold Godowsky, Jr., well known as musicians, had made repeated attempts to invent a color film which would produce a picture

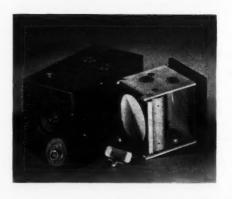


Seventyfive years ago . . .

Seventy-five years ago, George Eastman (above) started his pioneering work in photography. This work continues today. Eastman's problems, while less complicated technically, dealt with wholly unexplored methods. His first taste of photography was the wet plate technique — shown here (woodcut) in use by amateurs of the 1870's. Glass plates were coated and sensitized on the spot so that they could be used while still wet. The first Kodak camera (right) changed an esoteric hobby into an industry. It was sold loaded with 100 exposures of roll film. When these were shot up, the user returned the



camera to Rochester for developing, printing . . . and reloading. There was more fact than jingle in the slogan "You press the button, we do the rest" in those days. From George Eastman's kitchen, Kodak film production moved to sprawling Kodak Park, still growing in Rochester. Plants for photographic supplies have sprung up across the US. Kodachrome laboratories have been established



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without separate negatives, dye transfer, image splitting, or any of the other tricks employed earlier. Their work was based upon a film "sandwich" with three layers, each sensitive to blue, red or green light.

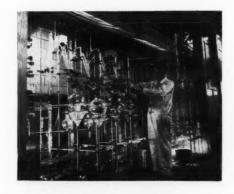
Assorted Imps and Devils

There was nothing wrong with the theory. But imps, devils, and diverse troubles plagued those who tried to apply that theory. An ordinary photographic emulsion is sensitive to blue light which it renders in black and white — as the familiar negative. Certain dyes (sensitizers) could be added to the silver halide — the light-sensitive material itself — to make it respond to red light or green light. But it still responded to blue light, too. Because of this continued "allegiance" to blue light, the red and green-sensitive layers had to be shielded from blue light. This shield or filter, of course, could not interfere with the blue light striking the blue-sensitive layer.

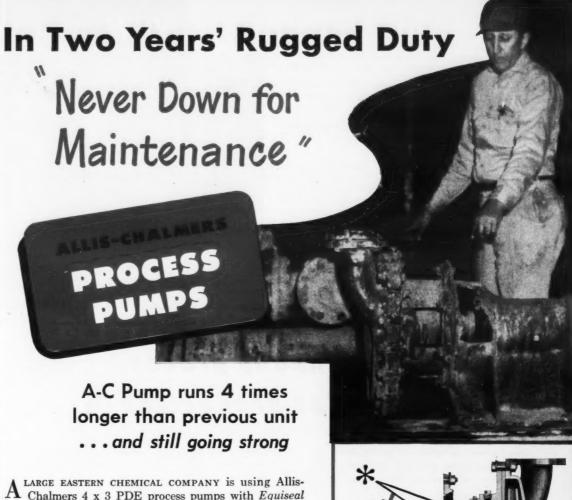
All this was realized and taken care of in the twenties. A multilayer film was "built" so that light first passed through a blue-sensitive layer, then through a yellow filter to knock out blue. It then went through the green- and red-sensitive layers. Each layer had to be within about 5% of its specification thickness (about 0.00015 inches), contain the proper amount of silver halide and have the proper "speed" or sensitivity. Alice, with her flamingo-croquet mallet and hedgehog ball, might have felt right at home with these problems. As problems, though, they were only very difficult, not impossible.

In one of the first attempts to produce a multilayer film, Dr. Mees sent one of the youngsters of the organization, Dr. Cyril J. Staud (now Director of Research Laboratories) to the film coating department.

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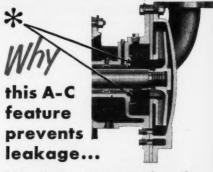
in Harrow, England and Vincennes, France. Technical facilities of the first rank are in service finding better photographic means (above). And more than sixty times a second a camera shutter clicks somewhere in the world, for we are now taking two billion pictures a year.



A LARGE EASTERN CHEMICAL COMPANY is using Allis-Chalmers 4 x 3 PDE process pumps with Equiseal stuffing boxes to handle phosphoric acid water containing abrasives. These pumps operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The unit shown above has been in use for approximately two years and has never been shut down for maintenance. The pumps previously used had to be completely reworked every six months and re-packed every three weeks. Naturally, maintenance costs have been drastically reduced.

Allis-Chalmers process pumps are available with or without *Equiseal* stuffing box, in a wide choice of materials to handle many types of abrasive or corrosive material at temperatures to 250° F. Every pump is individually engineered to each application. For details, contact your A-C representative or write Allis-Chalmers, Milwaukee 1, Wisconsin. Ask for Bulletin 52B6615.

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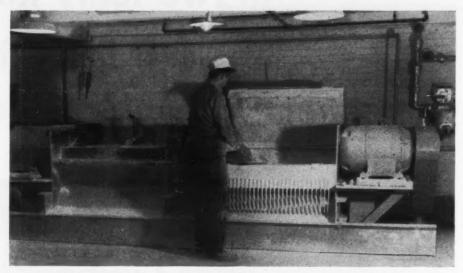
Many A-C process pumps have the Equiseal stuffing box. This is an auxiliary impeller which produces a low pressure area in front of the packing. This low pressure area prevents the liquid being pumped from entering the packing (on suction heads to 15 feet at 1,750 rpm). Equipped with an Equiseal stuffing box, an A-C pump will actually run without packing.

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V. W. TOBEY, Superintendent
Kyanize Paints, Inc.
with GORDON WEYERMULLER, Associate Editor



While permitting fine control of flats and semi-glosses —

Fig 1-Operator adds pigment to one tank of horizontal mixer used at Kyanize Paints

semi-continuous process boosts paint production

Good shearing action of heavy-duty horizontal mixer plus mill equipped with Carborundum stones eliminates roller milling

Problem: Conventional paint equipment used in manufacturing a flat wall finish at Kyanize Paints Inc., of Everett, Mass., failed to meet demands for increased production. Pigments and vehicles were delivered manually, while roller milling was required for uniform color dispersion. Improved process was needed to replace the batch operation.

Solution: Company placed a semi-continuous paint process in operation in January of 1952, views of which appear in accompanying photographs. Heart of the continuous process is the twin horizontal mixing unit shown in operation in Fig 1. This unit has two 250-gal mixing tanks which are agitated by independently-driven beaters.

Fig 2 illustrates the shearing action obtained with the heavy-duty blades.

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High-viscosity alkyd resin is transferred to weighing tank from storage tank in basement by means of a Moyno pump. (This operation was covered in detail in the May issue of CHEMICAL PROCESSING, pages 148-149.) Second Moyno pump is used for transferring correct amount of vehicle from weighing tank to mixer. View of Toledo floor scale with weighing tank behind it is shown in Fig 3.

Bowser positive-displacement metering device, illustrated in Fig 4, accurately measures solvents to be added to mixer from storage tank. Pigments are delivered to mixing equipment on pallets.

After leaving mixer, paste passes to Morehouse

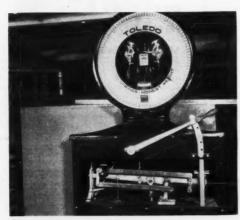
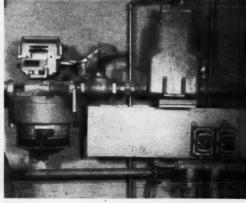


Fig 3—Vehicle is transferred from storage in basement to weighing tank through pipe at left



 ig. 4—Solvents are accurately added to mixer through positive-displacement matering device



Fig 5—Operator checks paste coming from mill, located directly beneath horizontal mixer

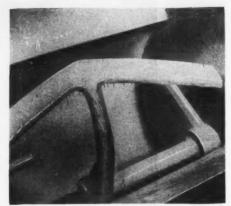


Fig 2-Heavy duty blades provide excellent shearing action, permit mixer to handle a heavy paste

stone mill equipped with Carborundum stones immediately below, Fig. 5. This mill completes the grinding and dispersion of the pigment. Material is then transferred by gravity to 1100-gal reducing and tinting tank on floor below. Additional vehicle is added at this point to form finished product, which is delivered to containers through filling equipment.

Semi-continuous paint process has in-Results: creased production greatly over previous batch procedure. Approximately 13,000 lb of paste per eight-hour day passes through mixer and mill. This is diluted with additional vehicle to form 27,000 lb or 2200 gal of finished product per day. In addition to the higher production, process has assured a uniform product of high quality. Flat wall finish, known as Clingcote, is based on manufacturer's own odorless alkyd resin. Paint has early hardness, resistance to washing (300 cycles with Lava soap), as well as abrasion-resistance.

Uniformity of pigment dispersion is obtained without roller milling. This is due partly to use of the horizontal mixer, which can handle a heavy mix and has excellent shearing action. Morehouse stone mill is also a large factor in the fine pigment dispersion. No maintenance has been required on either of these two units, nor on any of the other equipment since placed in operation. All that is necessary is to oil the mixer and change the stones on the mill every 60,000 to 70,000 gal of paste processed.

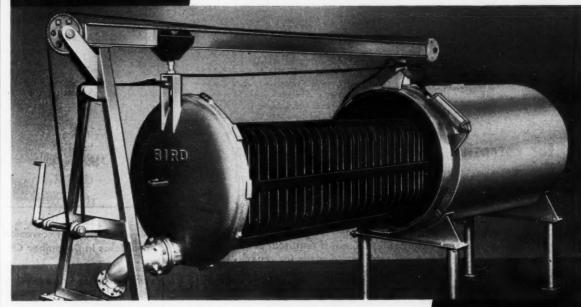
Another advantage of the process is considerable savings in labor. Process is essentially a three-man operation, including one man for tinting. In addition, three men are used for filling finished product.

(Model 250D twin horizontal mixing unit is manufactured by National Rubber Machinery Company, Dept. CP, 47 W. Exchange St., Akron, Ohio . . . or check CP 3326 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

(Carborundum stone mill is product of Morehouse Industries, Dept. CP, 1150 San Fernando Rd., Los Angeles 65, Calif. Check CP 3326A, pages 2 and 3.)

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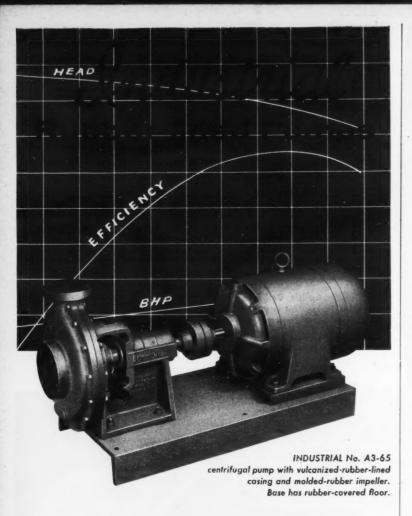
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NEW SOLUTIONS of processing problems

Alcoa uses asphaltic coating to eliminate condensation on pneumatic tubes . . .

also has worked successfully on water pipes and air conditioning ducts

Problem: The Massena, N. Y., plant of Aluminum Company of America had considerable trouble with condensation forming on pneumatic tube systems. Plant has two tube systems, one a pressure system (7200 ft one way) and the other a vacuum system (1500 ft one way). Lines run both indoors and outdoors. Condensation formed on the exterior of the indoor tubing.

Solution: During the latter part of 1950 company purchased 250 gal of NoDrip asphaltic coating for application to the pneumatic tube systems. Coating consists of an emulsified Mid-continent asphalt, using a hydrophilic colloid as an emulsifying agent.

Since this application worked out successfully, 10 additional gal of the coating was obtained for covering pipes in the basement of the main office.

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Results: Asphaltic coating has worked out very successfully in eliminating condensation wherever it was used, according to the engineers who have worked with it.

(NoDrip coating is product of J. W. Mortell Co., Dept. CP, Kankakee, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3329 on handy form, pages 2 & 3.)

New Solutions of corrosion problems in December CP

If you have corrosion problems, be sure to see the Corrosion Control Highlight in December CP. The section will be expanded to include a number of performance stories telling how other plants have stopped corrosion.

Among these New Solution stories will be one telling how cathodic protection has eliminated tank bottom failures in a Texas terminal. Another feature describes how plastic pipe resists hot hydrochloric acid in a plant manufacturing monosodium glutamate.

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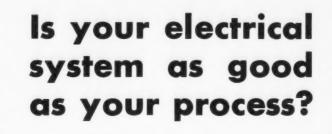
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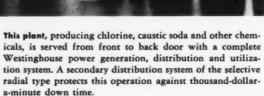
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American Cyanamid engineers and Westinghouse worked out a system that will pay dividends for a long time to come. The answer was in providing a group of power centers that can be quickly and easily expanded into a secondary network system as new buildings planned are put in place. Here's Westinghouse equipment matched with a plan for expansion.

Westinghouse, in cooperation with Intermountain Chemical Co., Westvaco Division, Food Machinery Corp., developed here a complete power distribution system, providing benefits not only of an integrated arrangement, but of one company responsibility for design, manufacture and application of equipment.



Westinghouse can help you match planning with equipment . . .

to bring your distribution system up to par

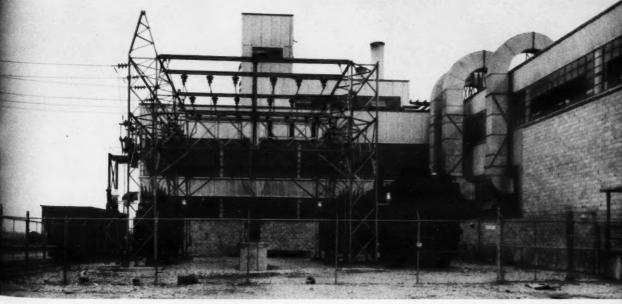
Early and thorough planning of your power distribution system is the only effective answer to these three basic questions:

- 1. Will my electrical system be adaptable to changing load conditions with minimum service interruptions?
- 2. Since down time is very costly, will I get maximum reliability?
- 3. Can I get good voltage regulation in spite of load fluctuations? There are many fine electrical systems that can be adapted to fit your process requirements. One modern way to support heavy production schedules is with the network system. This system provides alternate power routes when trouble occurs, so that faults on the line can be shared throughout the system, without down time—a kind of electrical insurance.

But, regardless of the system selected, plan it early, and well, along with process-line planning. Your Westinghouse Representative is ready to assist you. He'll make available to you not only the right equipment, but also the engineering services you need to get started on the right foot.

These chemical plants integrated secondary power for more efficient, dependable production

Outdoor substation by Westinghouse services the entire chemical plant.





Westinghouse coordinated distribution equipment maintains constant throughput

It's not good business to gamble against power failure when the penalties run high on continuous process lines. And there are ways of providing maximum reliability, without standby diesel-generator sets or other expensive makeshift arrangements.

This choice of types of equipment and the kind of power distribution layout will depend on the problems in your plant—change-over, expansions, modernization, new processes or products, and so on. Westinghouse can help you select the right equipment and coordinate it to bring out the specific advantages that best suit your requirements.

On these pages are shown several of the major product elements of a typical process power distribution system, and what each can contribute to its over-all effectiveness.



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Liquid-Filled Westinghouse Type SL Distribution Power transformers for chemical use offer the neconomies of standardization, plus design advantaged on years of tested and proved experience.

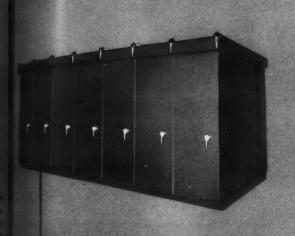
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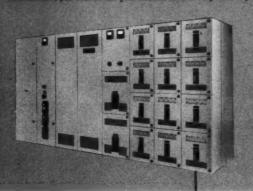
DH Air Circuit Breekers provide positive protection — employ De-ion® are extinction, the most effective method known. There's less contact burning-less maintenance-more reliability. Breakers draw out horizontally -- can be changed in three minutes flat, vital for service continuity.

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Standardination in manufacturing keeps your costs down. Special engineering is eliminated. Switchgear can be expanded, re-arranged or relocated with only minor wiring changes and no loss in value.

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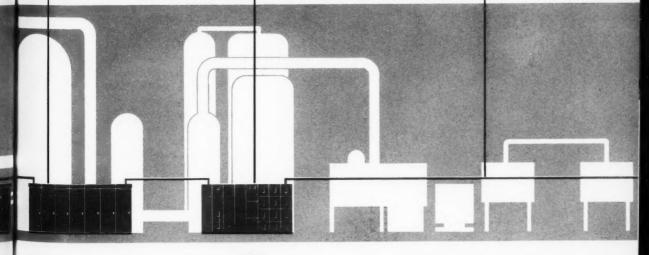
Westinghouse Dry-Type Power Centers include in one line-up an air-cooled power transformer, high and low voltage switch-gear equipment—all coordinated and tested at the factory for highest operating efficiency. Since all parts are of Westinghouse manufacture, you receive the plus benefits of unit responsibility.





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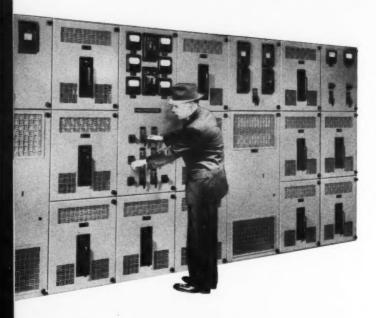
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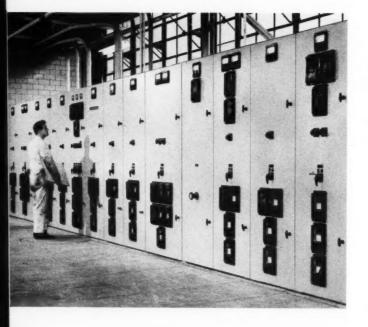


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Westinghouse equipment flexibility meets problems of





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One basic problem is obsolescence, not only of production equipment, but of the arrangement of power serving that equipment. Here are three outstanding advantages of Westinghouse Low-Voltage, Metal-Enclosed Switchgear to help you in this servicing problem.

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Westinghouse High-Voltage Switchgear is completely dead-front. All breakers may be closed or tripped without opening doors or otherwise exposing live parts. Each breaker is enclosed in an individual metal compartment. Interlocks are provided so that the compartment door cannot be opened while the circuit breaker is closed. Bare buses, cable connections and instrument transformers are placed in full-height rear compartments and separated from breaker compartments. Interlock and positioning devices assure safe removal or replacement of breakers.

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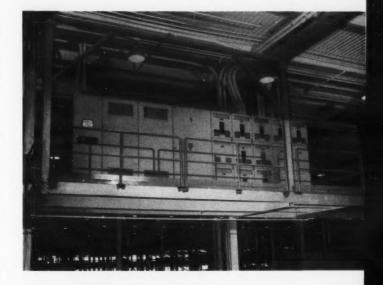
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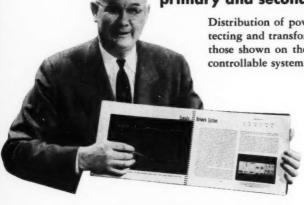
Distribution of power includes carrying, controlling, regulating, measuring, protecting and transforming electrical energy. Many pieces of equipment, other than those shown on these pages, must be considered in planning a flexible, reliable, controllable system. Your Westinghouse Representative can help you select them,

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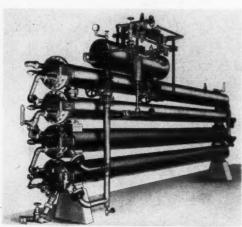
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Thermoswitch is inserted directly into the cooler tubes so that it will operate when the temperature goes below a predetermined point

liquid temperature or for new operators to become skilled at manual temperature control. "Freezing in" of wort, beer, or other liquids is

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For more information on product at left, specify CP 3332 . . . see information request blank between pages 2 and 3.

BUSINESS IN MOTION

To our Colleagues in American Business ...

Improve quality, reduce production costs — either or both. That is the aim of Revere in its relations with customers and prospects. Here is an example that is rather spectacular. It involves overlaying a silicon bronze gasket surface 2 1/2" wide around the periphery of a 46-inch diameter, 2 1/2" thick steel tube sheet for a large heat exchanger.

During a call on the manufacturer Revere was given the opportunity to see the overlaying operation.

It was being done manually, by the gas-shielded tungsten arc method. Experience showed that the time required to complete the operation was from 6½ to 7 hours. Included in the material cost was a full tank of argon, price about \$26.40. After the gasket surface was completed, it was machined, which sometimes revealed excessive iron pickup, caused by differences in welding speed or other operator variants. Sometimes

there would be porosity, sometimes excessive hardness. Repairing these spots by re-welding meant that the surface had to be machined again.

The company in question is highly skilled, and seldom needs to call in people from outside. However, this difficult operation was of considerable concern because of the size of the contract and the extra costs involved. Revere was asked for its opinion. After studying the matter, it was suggested that the gasket surface could be done more quickly and uniformly by semi-automatic methods, using equipment already available in the shop. The necessary strict details of procedure were developed in the Welding Section of Revere's Research and Development Laboratory at Rome, N. Y. so that we were able to prove the method. The customer's shop was then revisited and assistance given in setting up the equipment, which included a variable-speed welding positioner to rotate the tube sheet under a stationary head. On the first sheet overlaid by this gas-shielded metal arc process, the time

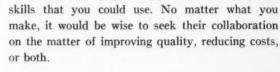
required was 49 minutes.

Time thus was reduced by some six hours. Argon consumption was cut to about 25 cubic feet at a cost of about \$3, representing a saving of about \$23 in gas alone. Cost estimates of the two processes indicated a total saving of about \$50 per tube sheet. Since the manufacturer still had over one hundred of these heat exchangers to make before the contract was completed, total savings will amount

to about \$5,000, as a result of the better method.

It is interesting to note that no Revere materials were involved in this work. Nevertheless, Revere was glad to do it for an important customer, one who buys large quantities of our metals.

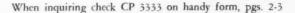
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Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co. conducted fouryear study to determine best protection

Problem: Protective coatings in use on storage tanks, structural steel roof supports, tank cars, and process equipment were failing to provide the necessary corrosion-resistance at the ferric chloride plant of Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co. in Wyandotte, Mich. Yearly cost of this corrosion was 16.7 cents per square foot of corrodible steel surface. Plant was under attack not only from ferric chloride, but also from hydrochloric acid, chlorine gas, and a variety of inorganic chemicals — ammonia in one spot; at another, caustic soda; at still another, potassium persulfate.

Solution: A neoprene-base coating was chosen to protect all corrodible surfaces in the plant. This choice was made after a four-year study of numerous protective coatings.



Neoprene-base coating on tank car (part of which is shown at lower left) is in excellent condition, while conventional coating on other car shows effects of corrosive attack

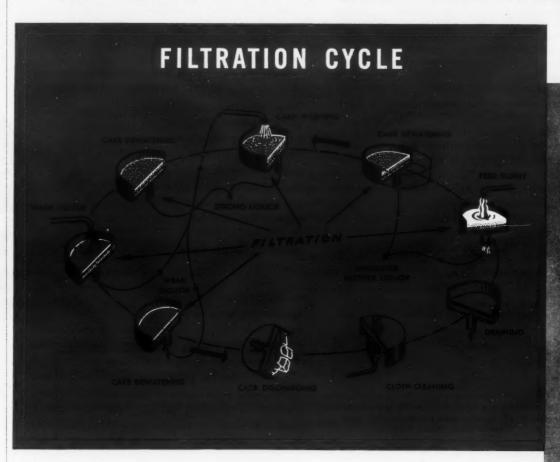
In this study, coatings were tested in different climates. In all, 20 test stations were installed at four different plants — two in Wyandotte, one in Kentucky, and one in Pennsylvania. A card file was kept on each coating and stations were inspected once a month. Coatings were first tested on steel plates exposed in most corrosive areas. Neoprene-base material was in competition with more than 100 coating formulas or systems, ranging from acrylics to vinyls.

Results: In the panel tests, and later in tank tests, neoprene-base coating was found most resistant in all strong acid and caustic exposures.

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For instance, at the ferric chloride station, this coating was in perfect condition after 72 weeks, while panels under next three best coatings were mottled with corrolaton after only 18 weeks.



Coatings were first tested on steel plates exposed in most corrosive areas

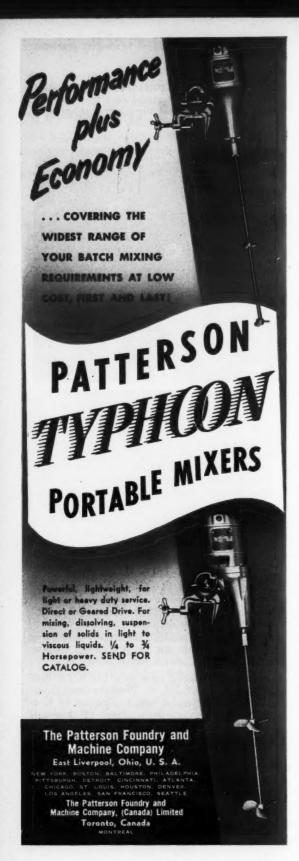
Since neoprene-base coating was first prescribed and used as standard for all equipment and structural steel in most corrosive areas, plant has expanded 50% in area. Still, the former maintenance crew of 26 men is able to cope with coating problems of entire plant.

Despite higher first cost of neoprene-base coating, Pennsalt has cut the yearly expenditure from 16.7 to 6.7 cents per square foot of corrodible steel surface. They hope to level off at five cents.

These results are credited to the chemical inertness of neoprene, its resistance to abrasion, and its high build-up per coat. Three coats are used to insure freedom from coinciding pinholes and to produce a minimum thickness of five mils. Two coats of coating and one coat of primer will normally result in a film of from six to eight mils in thickness. A fourth coat has not shown sufficient increase in service life to warrant added cost.

(Information obtained from an article in *Du Pont Magazine*, Vol. 47, No. 5. Protective coating contains neoprene chemical rubber, a product of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Dept. CP, Nemours Bldg., Wilmington 98, Del. . . . or for more information check CP 3335, pages 2 and 3.)

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Like taking dollars "out of the air", activated carbon adsorber

recovers over 1000 gal alcohol per day

Installation includes specially designed pre-scrubber to remove resin from solvent-air stream

GEORGE H. CLARK
Vice Pres. in Charge of Engineering
The Formica Company
with TED F. MEINHOLD, Assistant Editor

Problem: Large quantities of alcohol were being lost daily to the atmosphere at The Formica Company's plant in Cincinnati, Ohio. Denatured alcohol is used by the company to cut phenol-formaldehyde resin used to laminate paper and other materials. Solvent-laden air was vented out of the plant through exhaust stacks.

After studying various solvent recovery systems, officials finally decided that an activated carbon adsorption system was best suited for their set-up — if they could find some way of preventing

the highly contaminating resin from reaching the carbon.

Solution: Company installed an activated carbon solvent recovery system with a specially designed scrubber to remove the resin. Scrubber consists of packed tower through which air being treated is drawn upward, counter-current to scrubbing solution. The resin is continuously being absorbed by the re-circulating solution, which needs replenishing about once a week.

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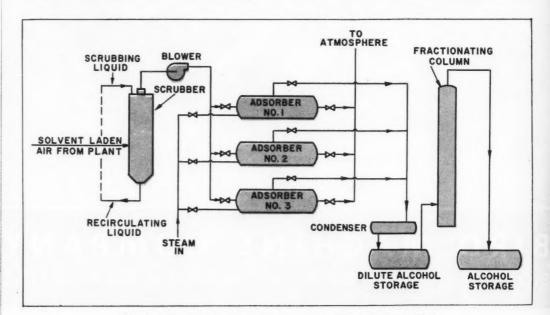
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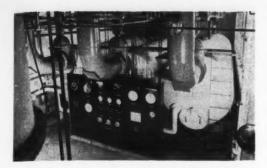
From the scrubber, the resin-free solvent-laden air passes through the adsorbers. There are three in the system, each six ft in diam x 26 ft long, containing 6300 lb of granular Adsorbite carbon. Adsorption cycle lasts about two hours. Solvent-free air passes directly to the atmosphere from the adsorbers.

When an adsorber reaches end of cycle it is closed off from the air stream, and low pressure steam is admitted. Steam raises temperature of carbon bed and drives off alcohol. Steaming generally



Flow chart of solvent recovery system at Formica's plant in Cincinnati, Ohio

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panel for three solvent adsorbers (background). Units are run in pairs - two are adsorbing while one is being steamed

takes approximately 30 minutes. Other two adsorbers continue to operate during this time.

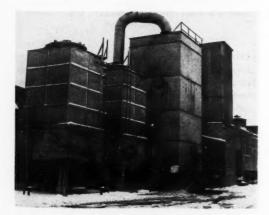
Released vapors from steaming operation pass through condenser and into storage tanks. Fractionating column separates alcohol from water solution, returns solvent to storage tank for re-use.

Formica recovers more than 1000 gal of alcohol per day. This is about 95% of that volume present in the treated air. Volume of air treated by the system is 12,250 cfm. Installation is reported to have paid for itself in first year of operation.

Life span of adsorbers is indefinite. Carbon is expected to last at least several years. In some installatons, carbon has been known to last as long as 25 years without replacement.

Phenol-formaldehyde resin can be recovered from scrubber solution for re-use if desired.

(Solvent recovery system and scrubber was designed by Solvent Recovery Division, Barnebey-Cheney Company, Dept. CP, Cassady at Eighth Ave., Columbus, Ohio. Check CP 3337, pgs. 2 & 3.)



Exterior view of solvent recovery installation. Two cooling towers are at left, scrubber (with inverted "U" duct) in center, and fractionating tower at right

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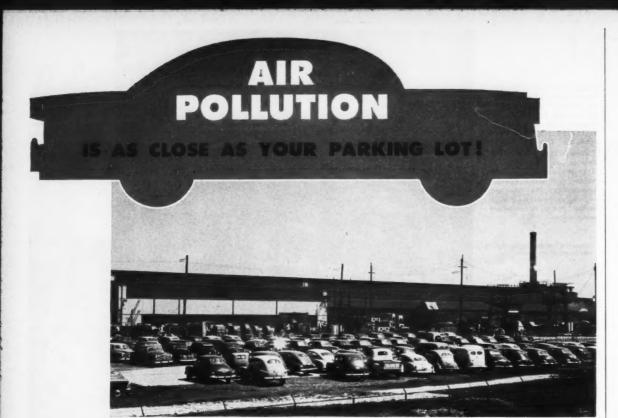
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Plastic replaces wood in spigots that failed in 1 to 26 weeks on tar acid filter presses . . .

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Problem: Spigot and key drains made of wood failed in from one week to six months when used on filter presses handling cold tar acids at the National Aniline Division of Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation's plant in Buffalo, N. Y. Wood softened and swelled, closing off opening (see photo). Sometimes entire spigot fell apart.

Solution: Phenolic plastic spigots, molded of Durez molding compounds, were substituted for the wood where cold acid solutions were being processed. The molding resin has these physical properties:

Compressive strength (psi, min)	27,000
Sp gr	1.40
Water absorption (%, max)	1.0
Impact strength (ft lb/in, min)	0.55
Modulus of elasticity (tension, x10° psi)	1.0

Results: Plastic spigots have been in continuous service over six months and show little or no deterioration. Company engineers state that not only



Left to right: Wood spigot (key at side) after use on tar acid filters. Wood and phenolic spigots before being installed

have spigots proved satisfactory for their chemical resistance to both acid and alkali solutions, but also for their ability to withstand impact when forced into filter press openings. Higher initial cost of plastic spigots is more than offset by their longer life.

(Durez molding compounds and resins are a product of Durez Plastics & Chemicals, Inc., Dept. CP, 17 Walck Rd., North Tonawanda, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3340 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

(Plastic spigots are molded by Norton Laboratories, Inc., Dept. CP, 1035 Mill St., Lockport, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3340A on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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Troublesome tramp iron removed from paper plant's pipeline by magnetic hump . . .

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prevents pump breakdowns, removes 2 bucketfuls baling wire per month

Problem: Baling wire and other forms of tramp iron were causing so much havoc in the Eastern plant of a large paper manufacturer that pump in white water line had to be serviced four or five times a week. Labor and downtime averaged about one hour for each service job required on the line.

Solution: A magnetic pressure hump was installed in the line at point following beaters and ahead of the jordans. Designed to operate in pressures up to 45 psi, the hump deflects flow of material 30°, directly across faces of two large



Operator removing accumulations of wire and other tramp iron from magnetic pressure hump

permanent magnets. Tramp iron is plucked out by penetrating action of Alnico V metal magnetic elements and held fast until removed by operators in routine periodic cleaning. Being non-electric, hump requires no wiring and was quickly installed in the plant.

Results: According to company's plant engineer, unit removes about two bucketfuls of tramp iron per month. Screening is continuous, automatic, and permanent. Hump requires virtually no maintenance and is guaranteed for mechanical life of equipment in which it is installed.

Officials estimate that in less than two years' time, the increased life of pump, elimination of downtime, and reduction of white water waste will more than pay for unit's installation.

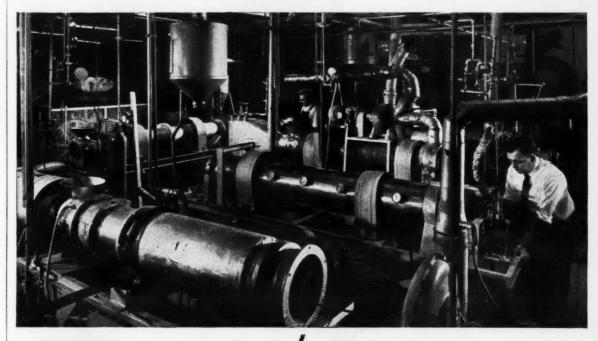
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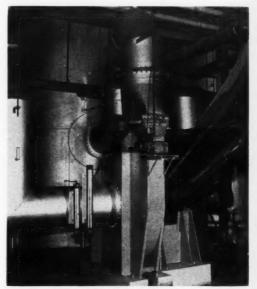
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Problem: About five years ago Liquid Carbonic Corporation became concerned about the cost of maintaining and replacing fans used for handling flue gases in several of its plants. Blowers in some plants lasted only about a year on an average, some failing within six months. Each failure caused a financial loss of several thousand dollars. in addition to interrupting production.

Fans handle products of combustion from gas or oil, which vary with plant location and source of supply. CO₂ in the flue gas is absorbed to produce



Corrosion-resistant fan used in dry ice manufacturing operations at Liquid Carbonic

dry ice. Gas contains SO₂, SO₃, NO₂, and is saturated with water vapor, making it very corrosive.

Solution: Fans were installed that are specifically designed to combat the corrosive conditions. Materials were selected by Liquid Carbonic based on tests conducted under actual service conditions.

Tests indicated that Hastelloy C was best suited for some applications and 316 stainless steel for others. Neoprene was entirely adequate in resisting corrosion, but operating tip speed of wheels (20,000 feet per min) prohibited its use on them. Consequently, it was applied only to the housing interiors.

Wheel design was a compromise between possible life and original cost. In fabrication of wheel shell, rivets were not used because of their limited size

Similarity in Valves doesn't mean a thing in service ... Chicago process plant reports

The Installation

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The Case History

Longest service given by similar type valves formerly used was from 2 to 6 months. They failed to hold tight at seats and disc under daily operation of 3 to 12 cycles. Valve maintenance and replacements were excessively costly—as were down-time losses. Leaky valves on tank lines forced repeated transfer of storage stock. Up to 3 men were needed to make valve repairs.

Only when the plant switched to Crane No. 488 clamp gate valves was the trouble stopped. Installed more than a year ago, the valves show no sign of wear or leakage. Only an occasional pullup on the packing nut is needed—and only one man for all piping maintenance.

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in these members and the possibility of excessive corrosion in them resulting from high internal stresses and carbide precipitation caused by having to drive them hot. Blades were continuously welded to hub-plate on either side, but were flanged and rivet-welded to the rim.

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Actual results in service indicated little, if any, corrosion in parent metal directly adjacent to the welds as the result of carbide precipitation. Consequently, all later wheels have had blades continuously welded to the rim as well as to hub-plate. Wheel shell was originally riveted to cast hub primarily to facilitate reuse of original hubs in replacement wheels if corrosion did prove to be excessive.

Flanging of all openings in housing enabled best possible covering of neoprene to be made. Neoprene covering is carried out over face of each flange and each joint and is provided with an ½" soft rubber gasket. This gasket provides a rigid joint to avoid fracture of covering and at the same time permit the use of through bolts, which can be replaced in case corrosion should develop in them. All interior joints under neoprene covering are continuously welded and welds ground smooth to avoid air pockets.

Results: Fans fabricated in this way that were installed as long as five years ago are still providing excellent service. Accompanying photograph shows one unit in service at the Belleville, N. J. plant of Liquid Carbonic.

(Fans are manufactured by American Blower Corp., Dept. CP, Detroit 32, Mich. . . . or for more information check CP 3344, pages 2 and 3.)

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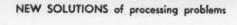
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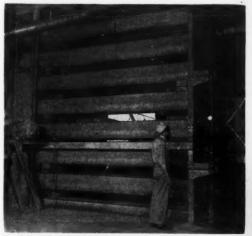


Solves tough solids-cooling job, using one-quarter former hp and floor space . . .

hollow-flight exchanger cools cottonseed cake from 265 to 90°F, continuously

Problem: When cottonseed is pressed for oil extraction, resulting cake leaves the expellers at around 265°F. This temperature is much too hot to grind and bag as cattle feed, or to store until needed for grinding.

At California Cotton Oil Co., Los Angeles, methods were tried using water-cooled dryers, and rotary, agitated air-cooled dryers. At the production level at which California Cotton Oil was running, these coolers were incapable of lowering the temperature below 160°F. It was required that temperature be lowered to at least 105°F to avoid burning of the product in stack or bag, and eliminate danger of spontaneous combustion.



Screw conveyor brings hot cake from expellers to topmost twin-screw heat exchanger. Cake cools as it is conveyed by the hollow screws through one exchanger, then drops to next level for continuous flow through the seven tiers shown here

Solution: Cottonseed cake from expellers is now conveyed through a series of hollow-flight screw heat exchangers. Cooling water flows through each of the hollow screws and shafts, cooling the cake as it is conveyed through the seven-tiered cooler.

Each tier is 10' long, with screws 11" in diameter. Two intermeshed hollow screws, side-by-side, and turning in opposite directions in an enclosed trough, comprise each unit. Thus the product is constantly being brought into contact with the heat-exchange surface of the screw shaft and flights.

Cooler uses 350 gal water/min, in counter-current flow, during summer when cooling tower water is 78°F. In winter, water flow is reduced. Unit handles around 220 tons of meal per 24-hr day.

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Fig. 2

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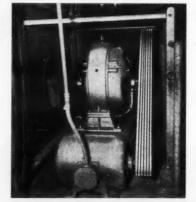


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Results: The pressed cake is reduced from 265° to 90°F in a continuous, trouble-free operation occupying one-fourth the floor space formerly needed. Horse power requirement is also one-fourth that used before. Cooling area is now much cleaner since the entire cooling operation takes place in an enclosed system. Rotation is slow (13 rpm) so that conveying action is gentle, and little dusting is encountered.

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Maintenance has been nil, in spite of straight 24-hr daily operation each season for the past five years. (Holo-Flite Processor is manufactured by Western Precipitation Corp., Dept. CP, 1061 West Ninth St., Los Angeles 15, Calif. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3347 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

Company's product put on display in customer's plant by the use of lithographed drums . . .

attractive display adds only a few cents to the original cost of each drum

According to T. F. Washburn Company, outstanding advantage of lithographed drums is that they let visitors and other people know that a manufacturer's product, of which he is duly proud, is being used in a particular plant. This Chicago manufacturer of



Lithographed drums being filled with thixothropic alkyd resin for use in coatings

resins for protective coatings has been using lithographed drums for about two years. Lithographing makes a distinctive package of a 55 gal drum. The drums are economical, lithographing adding only a few cents to the cost of each drum.

(Lithographed drums are product of Rheem Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 477 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.
. . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3348 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

It takes Six Bolts - not just four



to give full bearing protection for greater motor performance

THE TWO EXTRA BOLTS in the end housing of every Allis-Chalmers ball bearing motor are the proof of extra protection against bearing failure. These are the bolts that hold the bearing cap tightly in place against the inner face of the bearing enclosure. This cap, with its close running clearances, keeps grease from the interior of the motor . . . retains an ample supply within the bearing enclosure . . . protects the grease and the bearing against contamination from dirt and moisture.

At the outer side of the bearing, double labyrinth seals keep grease in, also keep dirt out. What's more, large grease reservoirs act as additional dirt traps.

Result? Allis-Chalmers motors pay off in longer, trouble-free bearing life, lower motor maintenance.



Get all the facts . . . judge for yourself — Compare Allis-Chalmers motors with other motors. Get the six-bolt construction that gives you complete bearing protection. For proof, see your Allis-Chalmers Office or Authorized Distributor, or write — Allis-Chalmers, Milwaukee 1, Wisconsin.

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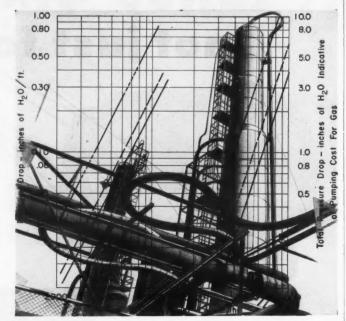
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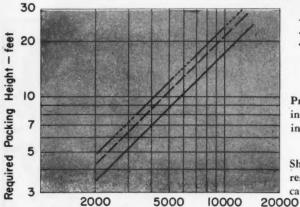
HOW INTALOX® SADDLES CAN REDUCE TOWER HEIGHT AS MUCH AS 30%

If your choice of a tower filling is based on what packing will, for an equivalent through put, be most economical in both initial tower investment and operating costs — take a look at these charts and their accompanying table.

This is another typical demonstration of the striking savings that can be made through the use of Intalox saddles. It is based on observed capacity data in a pilot plant operation where CO₂ is removed from an inert atmosphere using a dilute aqueous caustic solution.

It will pay you to analyze tower construction and operating costs in the light of greatly reduced tower height and weight. You'll quickly see why cost-conscious engineers are more and more frequently designing towers to use to the full pronounced advantages of Intalox saddles.





Gas Rate to Tower - cu. ft./hr.



Chart No. 1 (Above)

Pressure drop data comparison. Data shown both in inches of H₂O per foot, and total pressure drop in inches of H₂O.

Chart No. 2 (Left)

Showing comparison of packed height required for removal of CO₂ from an inert atmosphere using dilute caustic liquor as the scrubbing liquid.

COMPARATIVE STUDY BASED ON DATA SHOWN ABOVE

	Tower Crossection, Sq. Ft.	Required Packed Height* Ft.	Packing Weight Lbs.	Weight of Steel Shell—3/8" Thick	Weight Packing & Shell Lbs.	Total Column Hold-up Cu. Ft.	Pressure Drop— Inches of H ₂ O**
I" Raschig Rings	1.0	12.0	480	672	1152	0.76	2.0
I" Berl Saddles	1.0	10.5	473	588	1061	0.68	0.77
1" Intalox Saddles	1.0	8.6	293	482	775	0.68	0.47

* To remove 90% of the CO2 from the gas; initial gas composition being the same in all cases.

** For a gas flow of 5,000 cu. ft./hr. and essentially atmospheric operation

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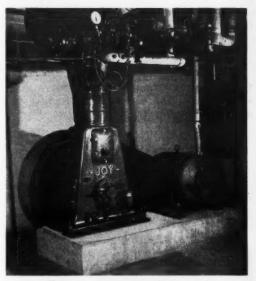
NEW SOLUTIONS of processing problems

Oil-free air for antibiotics furnished by compressors at Bristol Labs . . .

made possible by carbon graphite piston rings which need no lubrication

Problem: Oil-free air was required for sterile finishing operations in the production of penicillin and other antibiotics at Bristol Laboratories, Syracuse, N. Y.

Solution: Two oil-free compressors were placed in service, the first one being installed in 1951 and the second in 1953. These units utilize carbon



Compressor is compact and economical

graphite piston rings, plus several other specifications, which make them capable of producing air entirely free of lubricating oil. Carbon rings need no lubrication.

Each of the compressors provide 300 cfm of air at 100 psi. They are operated continuously. At Bristol, air is sent through an aftercooler to wring out moisture. Air must not be overcooled since water temperature on discharge side of jacket is critical. Inside wall temperature must be held above dewpoint. Otherwise, water would condense in cylinder and cause damage to carbon rings or to valves.

Results: Compressors have furnished air entirely free of oil for the antibiotics operations. Units are compact and economical.

(Oil-free compressors are product of Joy Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, Oliver Building, Pittsburgh 22, Pennsylvania . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3351 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

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Pressurized blast furnace produces 15% more pig iron . . .

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Pressurizing top part of blast furnace is reported to increase daily output by as much as 15%. One such furnace produced 574,028 tons of iron in 1953 — believed to be an all-time record for an American furnace using American iron ore without adding scrap iron or steel to charge.

Top pressure operation is accomplished by throttling gases from furnace. Reducing gas is thus slowed down and pressure built up. In addition to increased output, coke consumption is reduced, and flue dust losses reduced by more than a third.

(Process is licensed by Arthur D. Little, Inc., Dept. CP, 30 Memorial Drive, Cambridge, Mass.)

New growing method improves yeast's food value . . .

find that cultures have higher methionine content

Method of growing yeast has been developed which is reported to improve its value as supplement to food and fodder. Process results in greater production of methionine, an amino acid in which yeast has been inadequate.

Scientists grew 20 different species of yeast on various media and found that six species could be made to produce greater quantities of methionine by increasing amount of nitrogen salts available to them. By adding cystine, another amino acid, to the media, production of methionine was greatly increased.

(Work was performed at University of Wisconsin, Dept. CP, Madison 6, Wisconsin.)

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PROCESS EQUIPMENT NEWS

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Interchangeable Bundles for Three Condenser Units

Three condensers recently completed in the Kellogg shops for a major refiner represent an optimum interchangeability of bundles—a feature every refiner wants but one that is often difficult to achieve in a unit without

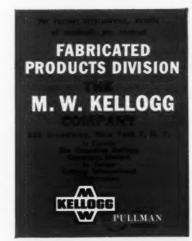
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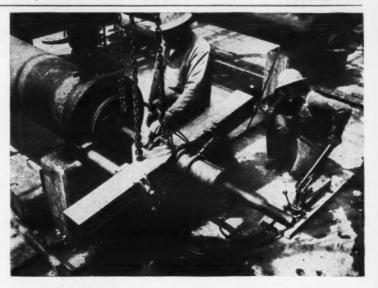
The three condenser units, designed to handle C-4 cuts, comprise a total of 14 shells. Following normal design practices, initial Kellogg engineering proposals included three sizes of shells. However, further study by Kellogg engineers proved, in this instance, that it would be most economical in the long run to design the entire group of 14 shells for interchangeable bundles. Both proposals were submitted, the customer agreeing that the interchangeable bundle plan best served their purposes.

Each of the 14 sections are of floating tube sheet construction with 2040 square feet of 34-inch admiralty tubes, naval brass tube sheets, and steel baffles. Inside diameter of each shell

is 33 inches.

Interchangeable bundles for this many sections will offer several important advantages to the refiner. They will, for example, cut down considerably on refinery maintenance stock, since only one spare bundle need be kept in stock to service any one of the 14 sections. Shorter down-time for repairs are also expected to result from the fact that the spare bundle can be substituted easily in an emergency without shutting the unit down for lengthy repairs or rebuilding.





Portable Bundle Puller Saves Time Eliminates Costly Rigging

Shown here in use at a major Eastern refinery is Kellogg's special device, known as the Hydro-ejector, for removing and inserting heat exchanger hundles

The device, portable and easily operated by two men, reduces down-time and eliminates the need for "jerrybuilt" rigging often required to pull even the smallest tube bundles. From the standpoint of time, experience has shown that it takes less than 25 minutes for the device to push a tube bundle out eight feet.

And even the largest bundles will not stick when pushed by the force of 12,000 pounds that may be exerted by the Hydro-ejector. The device is attached directly to the bonnet-end shell flange of the exchanger. It does not not be bundled it benefits to be the state of the state o

not pull a bundle; it pushes it.

The Hydro-ejector is safer to use—
particularly in the case of overhead exchangers—because workmen do not have to clamber out on the bundle after it is partly pulled to attach hoists. Ropes for lowering the bundle are

attached as it is ejected and ride along with the unit from a trolley on the hoisting beam.

The Hydro-ejector will fit any size exchanger. Although now available for use in existing refineries, the unit was originally designed for customary types of exchangers in new processing plants as a means of reducing investment for supporting steel work. In cases where more than one Hydro-ejector is used, all parts including the jack and pumping unit are interchangeable. The only auxiliary equipment are two hoists, suspended at the channel end of the exchanger, to handle the tube bundle as it is ejected or replaced.

In operation, two men may work it with ease. One is required to pump the jack while the other keeps an eye on the bundle to ensure alignment.

Each unit consists of a hydraulic center-hole jack, supported by a fabricated steel base which is bolted directly to the exchanger. It is self-contained and portable, the heaviest piece of equipment being less than 75 pounds.

Send for New Booklet On Kellogg Exchangers

A new booklet which describes in detail the types of tubular heat transfer equipment available from Kellogg has just been completed. It not only shows examples of a variety of heat exchangers, coolers, condensers, reboilers and other process equipment, but also covers in some detail the expanded facilities available at Kellogg since the shops were modified for production-line manufacture of heat transfer units.





EXCHANGERS



THIN WALL ALLOY PIPING



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CONDENSERS



FRACTIONATING TOWERS



PRESSURE



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COOLERS

When used in surface coating formulations, p-tert-butylbenzoic acid—

improves high resin lacquers

Physical properties enhanced, drying times shortened

% p-f-BBA Replacement	33 1/3	66.2/3	95	100	100
MATERIAL Glycorol	28.2	28.5	29.2	27.4	20.5
Penteerythritol					6.85
Phthalic anhydrida	41.7	42.3	42.7	31.2	31.2
o-1-88A	7.56	15.4	23.3	41.4	41.4
Cottonseed fatty acid	5.02	5.05	5.2		100000
Coconut falty acid	17.7	8.9			
PREPARATION OF ALKYD		- Control of			
Jp heat time (hr)	11/2	11/4	31/2	31/2	43/4
Time @ 475-480°F (hr)	23/4	-11/2	1	134	1/4
ROPERTIES & SO'S, N.V. IN XYLENE	x	Z-3	Z -6		R
riscosity (Gardner-Holdt) Color (Gardner-Holdt)	5+	5+	5+	4-5	5
oftening point (Durrens Hg method °F)	168	175	190	175	193

Uses: As a component of short and medium oil alkyd resins, compound enhances physical properties, permits shorter baking time. It also contributes to the physical properties of other high resin lacquers. On esterification with unsaturated alcohols it gives polymerizable monomers. Such esterified compounds can be hydrogenated to the saturated acids, and can also be converted to the nitriles.

Features: When fatty acid content of a short oil or medium oil alkyd is partially replaced by paratert-butylbenzoic acid (p-t-BBA) faster air drying times result and shorter baking cycles to equal hardness can be used. In both oxidizing and non-oxidizing alkyds, compound improves color and gloss, and resistance to discoloration in use.

Improved solvent, caustic, soap, and water resistances are achieved when *p-t-BBA* replaces a portion of the fatty acids in medium or short alkyds. Because of the improved chemical resistance and increased hardness, it is often possible to eliminate at least half of the amino resin used in combination baking alkyd systems and still maintain excellent film performance.

Acid-modified non-drying alkyds in nitrocellulose lacquers contribute to increased hardness, improved sanding characteristics, resistance to print, and water and alcohol spotting. Alkyds containing high

percentages of the compound are hard, thermoplastic resins which give these lacquers the properties obtained with rosin-modified maleic resins, but with better chemical resistance and no afteryellowing tendencies.

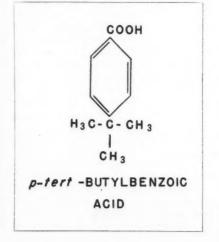
Description: p-tert-Butylbenzoic acid is non-toxic, although heavy dust concentrations may cause irritation. This high purity acid is adaptable to conventional resin cooking techniques of direct flux-

ing, alcoholysis, or solvent reflex. Since compound has lower vapor pressure than phthalic anhydride, it offers no sublimation problem when handled carefully. Acid resists oxidation and retains its color in high temperature condensations.

(para-tert-Butylbenzoic acid is a product of Shell Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 50 W. 50th St., New York 20, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3353 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Typical Physical Properties of p-tert-Butylbenzoic Acid

Acidity (phenolphthalein, eg/100	gm) 0.55-0.56
Acid number (mg KOH/gm)	313-315
Sp gr (20°/4°C, vac.)	1.142
Freezing point (°F)	328-331
Purity (based on acidity, %)	98.0-99.5
Ash (% by wt)	0.05-0.15
Solubilities (% by wt @ 20°C):	
Water	< 0.02
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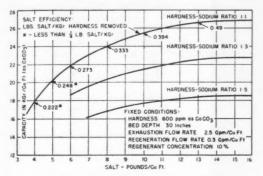
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Porous structure of resin gives fast ion diffusion, cuts regeneration time

Uses: As a cation exchange resin for applications where a resin having a capacity intermediate between high capacity polystyrene resins and other base exchange products is required.

Features: Porous structure of resin allows rapid diffusion of ions, resulting in a high rate of ex-



DUOLITE C-25 CAPACITY AS FUNCTION OF SALT DOSAGE

change and good salt efficiency. Fast diffusion also reduces time and water requirements in regeneration and rinsing. An increment of capacity is gained in using less raw water for rinsing. Volume change is lower than any other resin built of a styrene matrix and of comparable capacity when subjected to the same conditions.

Description: Duolite C-25 is an economical polystyrene cation exchange resin, combining high porosity with structural integrity. Volume change under ionic pressure is low, and illustrated below:

Index of Volume Changes

Brine concentration (%)	5	10	15
Index of resin volume	_	_	_
B S & D (exhausted)	100	100	100
Under brine	95	90	88.5
After rinse	100	100	100

A brine solution of 10% concentration produces optimum capacity at various salt dosages. Brine concentrations higher than 15% cause a decrease in resin capacity.

Resin is shipped moist and in the sodium state. Gross shipping weight averages 50 lb per cu ft.

(Polystyrene cation exchange resin is a product of Chemical Process Co., Dept. CP, 901 Spring St., Redwood City, California...or for more information reader may simply check CP 3354 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

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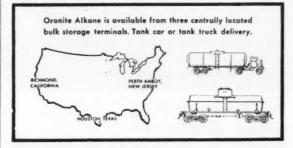
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Uses: As a starting material for all zirconium chemicals, as a polishing agent, and as a pigment in plastics, ceramics, glasses, and paints.

Features: In addition to its very high purity, compound has extremely fine grain size.

Description: Monoclinic zirconium oxide is 99.2% pure. Having a monoclinic crystal structure, however, the oxide cannot be used in formed parts. Crystal structure undergoes an inversion and a 7% change in volume at about 1000°C.

(Monoclinic ZrO₂ is a development of Zirconium Corporation of America, Dept. CP, Solon Center Bldg., Solon, Ohio . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3356 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

Offers emulsifying wax in flake form . . .

serves as base for creams and ointments

Ceramol, an emulsifying wax, is being offered in flake form. As a base for producing ointments or creams, it is especially useful in incorporating aluminum, strontium, and calcium salts in such products as depilatories and antiperspirants.

(Emulsifying wax in flake form is a product of Aceto Chemical Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 40-40 Lawrence St., Flushing 54, N. Y.... or for more information check CP 3357 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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As a laminating resin for glass fiber structures.

Features: Its glass fiber laminates are superior in strength retention properties after exposure to



"These plastic kettles sure make cooking a pleasure!"

boiling water, dilute acid, or alkali solutions. Resin can be promoted and catalyzed so that it will cure at low temperatures.

Description: A low viscosity styrene monomer modified polyester resin, Laminac 4111 has relatively great chemical resistance. For uses requiring high alkaline resistance, tests should first be conducted under actual conditions of exposure.

(Modified polyester resin is a development of American Cyanamid Co., Dept. CP, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York 20, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3359, pages 2 and 3.)

Made from nylon molding powder, products resist UV degradation, withstand outdoor exposure . . .

readily molded jet black resin has good gloss

For nylon products in applications involving outdoor exposure, such as the agricultural, automotive, and marine hardware fields, sporting goods, toys, and electrical equipment.

Resin resists ultraviolet degradation and will withstand prolonged outdoor exposure. It is readily moldable with good gloss, free from smears and dull spots.

Nylon molding powder, Zytel 105 BK-10, is jet black in appearance, and has physical properties similar to Zytel 101, general purpose nylon.

(Nylon molding powder is a product of Polychemicals Dept., E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Nemours Bldg., Wilmington 98, Del. Check CP 3360 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Polyamide Resins Prove Versatile in More Durable Coatings, Tighter Seals, Cheaper Laminates, Tougher Welds

Blending General Mills' Polyamide Resins 100 or 115 with epoxy resin has opened a whole new field of uses. Though both components are thermoplastic the blends emerge as thermosetting compositions.

The reactive Polyamide and epoxy resin blends make adhesives of great strength and versatility-highly resistant to mechanical shock, heat and chemical action. These adhesives bond like and unlike, porous and non-porous materials; wood, metal, glass, leather, plastic, rubber, paper, neoprene and fabric.

By varying the ratio of Polyamide to epoxy resin, it is possible to vary the properties of the cured mixture. Generally high Polyamide content gives greater softness and greater



Glass, wood, plastic, metal and leather are bonded above with a blend of General Mills Polyamide Resin and epoxy resin. Tensile shear strength is 2,500 lbs./sq. in. on aircraft aluminum.

toughness, whereas high epoxy content gives increased hardness. They cure well (having low exotherm and shrinkage), have high dielectric strength, and are water and alkali resistant.

Because of these and other properties, new uses already include: enamel coating for wood and metal products, structural adhesives, container sealing and caulking, overprint varnish, electrical insulation, fabric and glass-fiber laminations, and potting and casting compounds.

POLYAMIDE RESIN PROPERTIES

Hard, flexible resin at about 180° C; thermoplastic; insoluble in most common solvents; average Mol. Wt. 6000-9000.

Hard, flexible resin; melting at 105-115° C; soluble in alcohol and hydrocarbon mixtures; thermoplastic average Moi. Wt. 6000-9000; slightly higher viscosity, weight and toughness than 94.

Similar to 93 with lower vis-cosity; lower Mol. Wt. 3000-6500.

A form of Polyamide Resin 94, compounded for paper coating —improved sealing, blocking properties, and resistance to moisture vapor transmission.

100 Soft, sticky resin melting at 43°

115 Soft, sticky resin more fluid than Polyamide Resin 100; also more reactive with Epoxy Resin. Pourable at 75° F. or higher.

Resistant to water, strong alka-lis, acids, oil, grease and most chemicals. Soluble in hot alco-hol and hydrocarbon mixtures. Gels most solvents at extremely low concentrations at room

Excellent heat-sealing; non-yellowing; good gloss; moisture vapor resistance; good heat stability at high temperatures. Provides excellent barrier to

Same as for 93.

Miscible with Polyamide Resins 90, 93, 94 and 100 for formulation of heat seal coatings with excellent flexibility and MVT resistance; heat seals at 80-100° C.

Pressure sensitive. Combined with Epoxy Resins to form hard, abrasion resistant, yet flexible thermosetting blends. Plasti-cizer; tackifier and modifier for

Reacts with Epoxy Resins in the same manner as Polyamide Resin 100, May be used in or

RECOMMENDED USES

Metal-to-metal welds (com-bined with Polyamide Resin 100); very small quantities markedly raise the melting point of other Polyamide Res-ins; forms a solder replace-ment when filled with aluminum

Solvent coatings; hot-melt ap-plications; heat seal adhesives; fire retardant paints; aniline and rotogravure inks; coatings for transparent packaging materials; overprint varnishes.

Same as for 93.

Hot-melt or solvent coatings with excellent decorative and heat sealing properties.

Metal-to-metal welds (com-bined with Polyamide Resin 90). When blended with spoxy resins, Polyamide Resin 100 forms decorative and protec-tive coatings for paper, wood and metal; enamel coatings; overprint varnishes.

Same as Polyamide Resin 100; also useful with fluid epoxy resins in casting, potting and laminating applications and non-solvent adhesive applica-

When Used Alone, thermoplastic Polyamide Resins give high-gloss coatings of great flexibility and moderate scuff resistance.

They are used often as adhesives or coatings for paper labels, metal foils, cellophane, shoes, packaging, book and magazine covers, and many other materials . . . often substituting for more expensive coatings and plastic laminations.

Polyamide Resins may be applied by either hot melt or solvent solution. And, they may be modified for higher or lower melting point, greater flexibility, or added tackiness for

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Polyamide Resins are characterized by non-volatility, sharp melting points, and resistance to moisture, alkalis, mild acids, grease and oil, and most common chemicals.

You can get General Mills Polyamide Resins uncompounded (for adding plasticizers, waxes or other resins) or compounded (for improved sealing properties and resistance to blocking and water vapor).

They are virtually non-volatile and have very little odor. Also, in several years of research work, no toxic effects have been noted.

Polyamide Resins 90, 93, 94, and 95 are furnished by General Mills in non-returnable fiber drums . . . net weight about 175 lbs. . . . in both LCL and carload quantities. Polyamide Resins 100 and 115 are packed in open-top steel drums. Solutions of number 100 are available at 60% solids.

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Your production men can work fast with these Hooker sulfides.

The flakes dissolve in 15 minutes, even without stirring—and in cold water. They give a clear solution, free of sediment—ready for immediate use, with no decanting.

Hooker sodium sulfide is a light buff-colored material in flake or solid form. It contains 60 to 62% Na₂S. Flake form is shipped in lacquer-lined steel drums, 90 and 350 lbs. net. Solid form comes in steel drums, 625 lbs. net.

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taining 40% by weight of Na₂S₄. The solution contains less than 1% sodium thiosulfate, sodium carbonate, and sodium sulfite inclusive. It is shipped in 55-gal. steel drums, 600 lbs, net.

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MATERIALS

As a chemical intermediate, molybdic oxide is gaining increasing interest . . .

used also in production of molybdenum catalysts

Uses: As the basic raw material for production of sodium and ammonium molybdates, and nearly all other molybdenum chemicals. It is one of the principal materials used for production of molybdenum catalysts. In fertilizers, it supplies the element to crops; in ceramic enamels it promotes adherence; and in tint titania opacifiers, glasses, and ceramic glazes it lowers surface tension of the silicate melt.

Features: Element has high complexing power, especially in higher valences where it forms complex inorganic salts with almost every known element. It forms numerous complexes and some compounds with organic chemicals. Certain halides and oxihalides can be used as intermediates for synthesis of organomolybdenum and other compounds.

Description: Molybdic oxide, MoO₃, is produced by roasting molybdenite concentrate. Technical grade is about 90% oxide. On purifying by sublimation, 99.5% pure MoO₃ is obtained.

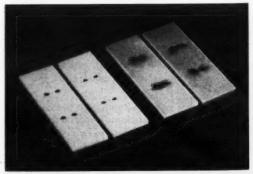
(Molybdic oxide is a product of Climax Molybdenum Co., Dept. CP, 500 Fifth Ave., New York 36, N. Y. . . . or check CP 3363, pages 2 and 3.)

Arc resistance, electrical properties of modified melamine laminates opens many applications . . .

laminates can be machined with standard tools

Uses: In electrical applications such as transformers, television and radar insulation, circuit breakers, switch bases, and supports for sliding contacts.

Features: Laminate has excellent arc resistance



After test (5 arcs at 15 kv, 30 ma, 3/6" gap, 113 arcs/min), modified melamine laminates (left) show less effect than NEMA Grade XX phenolic samples (right)



"Heavy Chemical" of the Lithium Industry

Highly reactive with other compounds, versatile and easy to handle, lithium hydroxide is the basic, low cost lithium salt

for industrial use.

As an ingredient in ceramics, multi-purpose lubricants, electric storage batteries, and numerous other applications, lithium hydroxide and its derivatives afford sometimes paradoxical, yet uniquely valuable

"Industry Looks at Lithium," a recently published booklet, points up the significant advances that have been made by utilizing these characteristics. We invite you to explore the potentialities of lithium by applying these unique properties for the benefit of your own products or processes.

Write for information.

properties.



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When inquiring check CP 3364 on handy form, pgs. 2-3 and electrical properties, and it can be machined readily using standard tools. In addition, moisture resistance is very good.

Description: Phenolite Grade Y-2401 is a paperbase electrical grade plastic, bonded with a polyester-modified melamine resin. Specimens ½8" thick have the following typical physical properties:

Flexural strength (lengthwise, as received; psi)	24,800
Impact strength (lengthwise, as received; ft lb/in)	0.48
Sp gr	1.35
Rockwell hardness ("M" value, 1/16" thick specimen, cold)	108
Water absorption (E-1/105 followed by D-24/23; % gain)	0.62
Dielectric strength (perpendic- ular to laminations, short time, in oil; vpm)	585
Dissipation factor (as received, @ I mc)	0.0298
Dielectric constant (as received, @ I mc)	4.21
Arc resistance (No. of arcs @ 15 kv, 30 ma,	178
%" gap, 113 arcs/min) *Paper-based laminates of Grade XXX gave 6 and 7	

The laminates can be machined readily. Thicknesses up to ½8" can be punched and sections up to ¾8" shaped by shaving dies. It is not necessary to use carboloy-tipped tools for drilling, turning, sawing, or milling. Laminates are available in 39 x 47" sheets ranging in thickness from 1/32" to one inch. Color is ivory, and finish is semi-gloss.

(Modified melamine laminate is a development of National Vulcanized Fibre Co., Dept. CP, Wilmington, Del. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3365 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

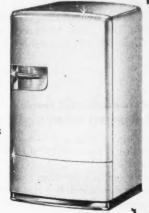
Shows methoxychlor use in aerosol and oil-based insecticide sprays

Prepared for processors and manufacturers of aerosol sprays, 11-page bulletin gives up-to-date information on use of methoxychlor in aerosol and oil-based insecticide sprays. Knockdown data and formulation suggestions in general contact and space sprays (as well as in aerosol dispensers), common livestock sprays, and pressurized cattle sprays are presented. Technical data on solubility, solvents, and emulsifiers are included.

Bul "90% Technical Methoxychlor Oil Concentrate Fly Sprays and Aerosols" is issued by Grasselli Chemicals Dept., E.I. duPont de Nemours & Co. (Inc.), Dept. CP, Wilmington 98, Del. When inquiring specify CP 3366 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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In this use in alkyd resins, the unique properties of pelargonic acid result in four distinct advantages over lauric and other coconut derived fatty acids. In addition to faster cooking of the resin itself, films of white enamel made from pelargonic acid are harder, exhibit higher gloss, and possess greater resistance to yellowing.

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Uses, properties, shipping information on Industrial chemicals, specialties

Alkalis, solvents, phosphates, magnesia and barium products, agricultural products, other chemicals, and specialties are listed in 104-page catalog. Uses, properties, and shipping information are presented. Included is a section containing tables and graphs on solubilities and densities and concentrations of aqueous solutions of many of the chemicals. A brief history of the company is also

Catalog of chemicals is issued by Westvaco Chemical Div., Food Machinery & Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 161 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y.

Offers economical source of propargyl alcohol

Propargyl alcohol in 40% aqueous solution offers an economical source of the alcohol for reactions which can be conducted in presence of water, such as oxidative coupling for form hexadiynediol, and hydration to form acetol. It is also useful when the alcohol is used to inhibit corrosive action of HCl on steel. Compound is offered in pilot plant quantities.

(Propargyl alcohol solution is a product of Commercial Development Dept., General Aniline & Film Corp., Dept. CP, 435 Hudson St., New York 14, N. Y. or for more information reader may simply check CP 3368 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

Reduces aldehydes, ketones in alcoholic, aqueous, or amine solution

As a reducing agent for metals or the carbonyl group of aldehydes, ketones, and acid halides.

Features: Compound is useful under conditions where lithium aluminum hydride is not applicable: for example, in aqueous, alcoholic, or amine solutions. It is particularly useful when it is desired to reduce an aldehyde or ketone group in the presence of other reducible groups such as -COOEt, -CN, and -NO2.

In aqueous solution, compound reduces to the next lower stable valence Ce+4, Cr+6, Fe+8, Hg++ and Hg+, and Tl+3 and Tl+. Many other salts are reduced or precipitated as borides or mixtures. Iron can be analytically determined by reduction to Fe++.

Description: Sodium borohydride, NaBH, is supplied as a 90% pure white to brown-white microcrystalline powder. Reduction potential is -0.43 volts in acid solution; -1.37 volts in basic

for your information

brief summaries of helpful product news



Six Bulk Stations for Plasticizers Give Monsanto **Customers Speedier Deliveries**

Monsanto's sixth bulk plasticizers station has been established at Greensboro, North Carolina. The new station is part of the company's program to provide faster tank truck delivery and greater selection for plasticizer customers.

The new station is strategically located in the heart of the rapidly growing plastics industry of the Southeast. It will enable customers to obtain greater versatility and economy in compounding by selecting their plasticizers from Monsanto's large assortment at tank truck and tank car prices. Compartment tank trucks are available.

Other bulk stations are located at Perth Amboy, New Jersey; Everett, Massachusetts; Akron, Ohio; St. Louis, Missouri; Los Angeles, California.



Research Chemist's Corner

TWO MORE ACRYLONITRILE DERIVATIVES

Previously announced were:

Succinonitrile (pilot plant quantities)
beta, beta' – Thiodipropionitrile (research samples) beta, beta' - Oxydipropionitrile (research samples)

Use the handy coupon for further details, or ask for the large "acrylonitrile tree" wall chart showing the derivation of scores of new compounds from acrylonitrile.]

CI-CH2CH2CO2H

Acrylic acid, H₂O

40.7° C.

99+%

180° C.

water, ether

Approximate Properties: White crystalline solid Appearance and Color: **Boiling Point:** 204° C. (decomp.)

Crystallization Points Assay: Nature of Impurities:

Stability: Solubility in common

Chemical Properties:

solvents:

The chlorine atom is activated by the carboxyl group. The acid may be converted by

Slow decomposition above

Very soluble in alcohol,

SO3 to alpha-sulfoacrylic acid or demuriated to acrylic acid. Exhibits normal carboxylic acid reactions of esterification

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Tests Show Aroclors Lengthen Life of Lindane

A marked increase in the effective insecticidal life of lindane results when chlorinated polyphenyls are used in formulation, according to recent information released by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

In a series of laboratory and preliminary trial studies it was found that specific chlorinated polyphenyls can be used to give either "tacky" or "dry" deposits, as desired.

These chlorinated polyphenyls, made by Monsanto under the name Aroclors,* have good solvent action on lindane and help to improve the appearance of the pesticidal residue. They also function as relatively nonvolatile, nonoxidizable, nonflam-

beta-CHLOROPROPIONIC ACID beta-CHLOROPROPIONITRILE CICH2CH2CN

> Colorless liquid 176° C. (decomp.) -52° 98+%

Acrylonitrile, water, HCI Slow decomposition above 130° C.

Miscible with acetone, benzene, ethanol, carbon tetrachloride. Solubility in water at 25° C. is 4.5 g/100 g.

The chlorine atom is activated by nitrile group and is easily replaced. ate it to acrylonitrile. Otherwise the

Laboratory samples available to qualified chemists

mable bonding agents for lindane, imparting strong adhesion to all surfaces and reducing the evaporation of lindane to a marked degree.

High resistance of Aroclors to water and corrosive influences probably accounts for the unusually good weather durability of lindane-Aroclor noted in preliminary work.

Tests with Aroclors were conducted on both roaches and house flies. According to preliminary results, all indications point to a probable increase in the effective life of lindane of ten to twenty times. For more information on Aroclors, please send in the coupon.

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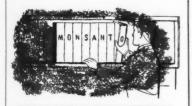
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from the MONSANTO BOOKSHELF

A new bulletin on diisodecyl adipate plasticizer (DIDA) is now available from Monsanto. This bulletin contains a description of the product and lists major physical properties. It also gives specifications and goes into detail on the application of DIDA in polyvinyl chloride.

The low volatility and exceptional flexibility imparted to vinyls by DIDA make it well suited for garden hose, free film and sheetings, coated fabric and similar applications.

To receive your copy of this useful new bulletin clip the coupon and mail it today.

A new and comprehensive 63-page booklet on Monsanto plasticizers has been published recently.

The new booklet consists of five major sections. The first section gives general background information on plasticizers.

The second section covers important factors to be considered in choosing the right plasticizer for the job. In this section, various types of plasticizers for vinyl resins, thermosetting resins, cellulosics and other resins are discussed.

The third section gives extremely valuable information concerning application data on various plasticizers. The remaining two sections list detailed material on specific Monsanto plasticizers.

To receive your copy of this booklet write on your company letterhead to Monsanto.

New Phenol Decal for Use on Tank Cars

As another step in its program of customer service, Monsanto has mounted a large decal on its tank cars of phenol.

This handsome and attractive decal acts as a safety aid to persons unloading the car and gives them essential unloading instructions.

These instructions are itemized in seven steps. This, plus other information, is contained in Monsanto's pocket booklet which covers the handling of phenol in

Monsanto makes this decal avail-

able to you. Displayed in your unloading area, it can serve as a practical safety reminder. To obtain one of these decals, just check the coupon and mail to Monsanto.



Quick Facts on Pydraul

Pydraul* F-9 is the proved fireresistant hydraulic fluid, ideal for use in the chemical processing industry wherever the danger of fires exists near hydraulic lines.

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- beta, beta -Oxydipropionitrile data sheet

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solution. Compound is stable in dry air to 300°C, and may be handled according to safe practice for flammable hygroscopic powders (such as CaCl₂).

Hydride reacts slowly with water at room temperature, rapidly at 50°C or in presence of acids, Co++, or Ni++. Reaction liberates 2.37 liters of hydrogen per gram of hydride.

(Sodium borohydride is a product of Metal Hydrides Inc., Dept. CP, 12-24 Congress St., Beverly, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 3370 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Emulsion paints pigmented easily and economically by stir-in colors . . .

washability of the final product is not affected

For pigmentation of all types of emulsion paints, such as those made of butadiene-styrene, polystyrene, acrylic, and polyvinyl acetate polymers.

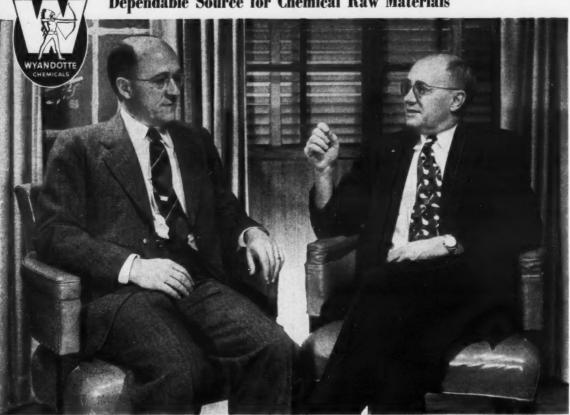
Features: Pigments are designed for applications where it is desired to save cost of grinding the pigment or grinding facilities are not available. Pigments represent most economical selection attainable in consideration of good light-resistance, hiding power, and alkali stability. They will not affect washability of final paint as they contain only enough surface-active agent to aid in wetting the pigment and dispersing it into the emulsion

Description: Stir-In Pulp Colors are homogeneous mixtures of pigment and water, and are available in yellows, reds, green, and blue. Pigments will not settle out during normal storage. Stir-in advantage is based primarily on physical condition, not on surface-active content.

(Pulp colors for emulsion paints are products of Pigment, Color and Chemical Div. of The Sherwin-Williams Co., Dept. CP, 300 W. Lake St., Chicago 6, Ill. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3371 on convenient Reader Service slip which is between pages two and three.)

Looking for a chemical raw material or intermediate? . . .

The alphabetical Product Directory (pages 213 to 216) will help you find it in a hurry. This listing, started by CHEMICAL PROCESSING in 1938, "puts the finger" on all subjects and products in editorial columns and advertisements of each issue.



Elmer Luckow (right), chief soap chemist for the Allen B. Wrisley Co., discusses benefits of Pluronics F68 with William Lieb

"Our 12-year search ended when we learned about Pluronic F68"

- William Lieb, chief cosmetic chemist, Allen B. Wrisley Co., Chicago

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How about your business? Can you benefit by using some of Wyandotte's many products? Can you profit through Wyandotte's farreaching developmental program and cooperative technical service? Contact our nearest district office, or write Wyandotte . . . we're glad to be of service. Samples of Pluronic* F68 are available upon request. Wyandotte Chemicals Corporation, Wyandotte, Michigan. Offices in principal cities.

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Acts as chemical intermediate for substituted barbiturates, purine derivatives

Uses: As a chemical intermediate in synthesis of certain purine derivatives, substituted barbiturates, and other compounds whose syntheses are dependent upon the pyrimidine structure.

Features: Monoalkyl barbituric acids can be prepared by reacting aldehydes or ketones with the compound, and following by hydrogenation. Substituted barbituric acids can be made by reacting barbituric acid with cyclic α-hydroxymethyl ketones. With a-aminoazo compounds, acid forms riboflavin. Allylhalides react with alkali solutions or suspensions of the acid (in presence of Cu) to produce diallyl barbituric acid. By chromic acid oxidation, alloxan has been prepared. Hydrouracil can be obtained by electrolytic reduction in sulfuric acid solution.

Resinous condensation products may be prepared by condensing barbituric acid with aliphatic aldehydes of low molecular weight in the presence of acid condensing agents.

Description: Barbituric acid is a heterocyclic compound with an active methylene group and



two reactive imino groups. Supplied as a white to yellow-white powder, acid is soluble in ether and in hot water, slightly soluble in alcohol. Specifications of the commercially available compound are:

barbituric acid

Barbituric acid (% min)	98.5
Chloride (% max)	0.020
Ash (% max)	1.00
Moisture (% max)	0.50

(Barbituric acid is a product of Kay-Fries Chemicals, Inc., Dept. CP, 180 Madison Ave., New York 16, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3373 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Key to YOUR PROBLEM?



"Corrosion Keys" a re part of next month's Corrosion Feature. You'll like this easy-to-use method of finding which alloys and plastics can be used in specific corrosion problems. Acaricide is compatible with insecticides, fungicides . . .

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chlorobenzilate is used on agricultural, ornamental crops

Uses: As an acaricide against many species of mites and red spiders on a wide variety of agricultural and ornamental crops.

Features: Formulations have been applied under field conditions with a number of commonly used insecticides and fungicides for test purposes.

Results show a wide range of compatibility with these materials. Good control of mites known to be resistant to some of the organic phosphorus insecticides was obtained.

Description: Chlorobenzilate has this chemical structure:

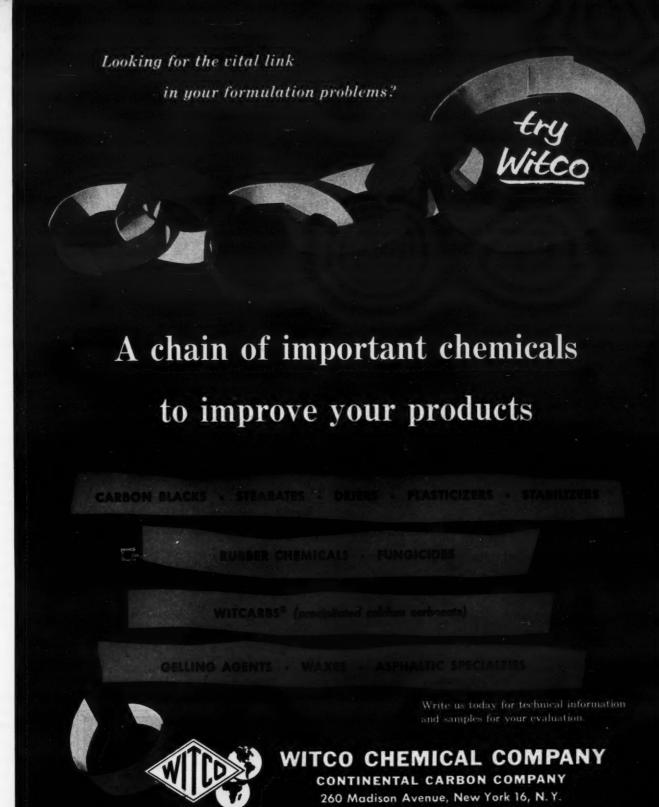
$$CI- \underbrace{ \begin{array}{c} OH \\ I \\ -C \\ COOC_2H_5 \end{array}} -CI$$

Pure compound is a yellowish, viscous liquid boiling at 141-142°C (@ 0.06mm Hg). Technical grade is 90% pure and is a brownish liquid weighing 10.7 lb/gal. As hydrated lime retards acaricidal action slightly, formulations with highly alkaline materials are not recommended.

Chlorobenzilate is slightly soluble in water, very soluble in organic solvents. It is available in technical grade, as a 25% emulsion, 25% wettable powder, and as a four per cent dust.

(Acaricide is a product of Geigy Agricultural Chemicals, Div. of Geigy Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 89 Barclay St., New York 8, N.Y. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3374 on Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

For more information on product at right, specify CP 3375
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To pharmaceutical manufacturers, Pittsburgh stands for purity. For Pittsburgh coal chemicals are quality

checked from mining to final processing. It's the same story with Pittsburgh dyestuffs, plasticizers, agricultural chemicals and all other products of our ten integrated divisions: Better products for industry and agriculture . . . because Pittsburgh is basic!



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MATERIALS

Describes polyamide resins

Prepared by condensation of polymerized unsaturated fatty acids with aliphatic amines, polyester resins are described and applications are presented in 4-page folder. Properties, compatibility with plasticizers, waxes, and resins, and applications are included.

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Offers another pair of dyes to textile finishers . . .

disperse, vat dyes produce shades of pink and yellow, respectively

Anthraquinone disperse dye, Nacelan Pink 3B, produces bright shades of pink and bluish red when dyed or printed on acetate rayon. On nylon, colors are somewhat bluer. At higher temperatures or at boil with suitable carrier, it may be used to color Dacron. Dyestuff is fast to perspiration, acid, alkali, water, hot pressing, and light.

Anthraquinone vat dye, Carbanthrene Yellow PG Double Paste, produces moderately bright reddish shades of yellow on cotton or rayon. Dyestuff is applicable by all the methods of dyeing in open tubs, continuous range, or package machines. As it is unaffected by presence of metals in dyebath, it can be dyed in iron machines with practically no dulling. Dye is fast to all wet processing, and is recommended for materials to be resin-finished for crease resistance. Light-fastness is increased by such treatment.

(Disperse and vat dyes are products of National Aniline Div., Allied Chemical & Dye Corp., Dept. CP, 40 Rector St., New York 6, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3378 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Functions chemically and physically when used as extender or additive with plastic and rubber . . .

material flows under heat and pressure, and has low specific gravity

Uses: For loading phenolic molding compounds and rubber products, as an adhesive extender in plywood and furniture industries, and as an ingredient in vinyl products, foundry sand, and asphaltic products.

Features: Material functions chemically as well

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as physically when used as a filler, extender, or additive. It flows under heat and pressure without additional ingredients. A low specific gravity increases its economic attractiveness.

Description: Silvacon products are derived from Douglas fir bark by a fractionation method. The three basic components, pliable spongy flakes (cork), needle-like fibers, and amorphous powder, are available in refined and super-refined form. Typical physical properties of three of the Silvacons are given:

Silvacon	(cork)	412-G (fiber)	472 (powder)
			red
Color	buff	brown	brown
Non-impacted bulk density (lb/cu ft)	13	23	18
Sp gr (ultimate)	1.32	1.42	1.44
Analyses (%) Cellulose Lignin (sulfuric	15	47	25
acid method)	62	45	65
Wax Flavanol-type	13	5	5.5
compound	10	3	4.5
Ash	0.2	0.8	2.0
Solubilities (%)			
Water	13	10	21
Ether	23	8	10
2% caustic	80	42	78

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Weakly and strongly basic groups synergize weak acid removal by anion exchange resin . . .

low regenerant dosage yields low silica leakage

Uses: As an anion exchange resin for producing electrolytically pure water.

Features: Presence of weakly basic groups in proximity of strongly basic ones has synergistic effect. Weak acids such as silica are removed to an extent which is greater than the removal expected based on salt-splitting capacity. In addition, the large concentration of acid-adsorbing groups give the exchanger extra capacity to remove sulfates and chlorides (strong anions) long after capacity for silica and CO₂ has been exhausted.

Economical to operate, low regenerant dosages yield low silica leakages. Little or no impairment of rinsing characteristics are noted during regeneration phase as exchanger "ages" in service.

Description: Duolite A-41 is a difunctional strongly-basic anion exchange resin, based on an aliphatic matrix. Both tertiary and quaternary ammonium groups are incorporated in the resin during manufacture.

In multiple-bed operations where CO₂ is eliminated by deaeration before feed enters resin, A-41 exhibits extra capacity, as the weakly acetic action of CO₂ for the quaternary ammonium groups has been eliminated.

Resin is available in both granular and bead form, both having similar operating characteristics. Screen analysis of wet particles shows bulk of particles lie between number 16 and 40 screens.

(Anion exchange resin is a product of Chemical Process Co., Dept. CP, P.O. Box 829, Redwood City, Calif. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3382 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

Chemical properties of molybdenum and its compounds discussed

Presented as a guide to the selection of molybdenum products for applications in the chemical process industries, four-page data sheet describes commercially available products, their manufacture and uses. The metal, and compounds including molybdenum disulfide, molybdic oxides, sodium molybdate, and ammonium molybdate are discussed.

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Heat and light stabilizer is especially suited for vinyl plastisols

Uses: As a heat and light stabilizer for vinyl resins, especially plastisols and organosols.

Clarity of plastisol films containing stabilizer is very good and approaches optical clarity if sufficiently high temperatures are used for fusing. Due to low viscosity, air release property of plastisols is improved and entrapped air bubbles are easily released on standing overnight.

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Color (Gardner Holdt) Sp gr (25°C) 1.135 Viscosity (cp @ 25°C) 60-70 slight

Light stability of vinyl compounds stabilized with this material have shown no breakdown after 500 hr exposure in Atlas Fadeometer.

Being a liquid, stabilizer can be incorporated in DOP and similar plasticizers, but such dilutions should not be kept for any period of time as separation may occur.

(Ba-Cd stabilizer is a product of Advance Solvents & Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 245 Fifth Ave., New York 16, N.Y. Check CP 3385, pages 2 and 3.)

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C14-labeled sodium bicarbonate, sodium carbonate, sodium acetate, and glycene are available in 0.1 millicurie packages.

(Radioactive carbon compounds are available from Bio-Rad Laboratories, Dept. CP, 800 Delaware St., Berkeley, Calif. Check CP 3386, pages 2 and 3.)

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ACRYLO-NEWS

AERO* Acrylonitrile, a highly stable bi-functional chemical, is finding increasing use as a reactive intermediate. Its versatility is indicated by its use in the preparation of pharmaceuticals, insecticides, surface active agents, and many other useful products as well as by direct application in the broad fields of rubber,

plastics and textiles. Its polymers and copolymers can be formulated to add many desirable properties to today's products and to create interesting new products for the future. The following items and abstracts, gathered from many sources, indicate a few facets of current research with this versatile chemical.

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FABRICS THAT BREATHE, THOUGH IMPERMEABLE TO FLUID, are ideal for apparel, tarpaulins, awnings, etc. This may be achieved by impregnating a glass fiber web with a water-soluble compound, completely filling the voids, after which a continuous coating of an acrylonitrile-butadiene thermoplastic resin is applied. The filler is then removed by water leaving a microporous material.

> CELLULOSE REACTS WITH ACRYLONITRILE to form a new group of fibrous and non-fibrous ethers. For example, if cotton is chemically modified with relatively low percentages of acrylonitrile, it acquires such desirable properties as rot proofness, heat resistance and better receptivity to dyes. By introducing larger amounts of acrylonitrile, soluble ethers are formed which are useful intermediates for textile finishes, sizes, emulsifiers and many other processing agents.

APPLICATION OF ACRYLONITRILE COPOLYMERS TO SYNTHETIC FIBERS has been improved through admixture with phenolic resins. Smooth, hard, glossy, flexible coatings, having good adhesion to nylon fibers, may be obtained by combining acrylonitrile-styrene copolymers with alkyl-substituted phenolic resins and a catalyst.

> ACRYLONITRILE RUBBERS CONTINUE TO FIND NEW USES. Since the new types of plastic floor coverings are not effectively bonded with water-containing adhesives such as casein and animal glues, an intermediate coating is required. Application of acrylonitrilebutadiene copolymer to the under surface of the floor covering provides excellent bonding with these common types of adhesives.

METHYLENEBISACRYLAMIDE, ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE GROWING CHARAMIDE ACRYLONITRILE FAMILY, is of value as a cross-linking agent. It can be used to link unsaturated alkyd resins to give products with improved thermostability and solvent resistance. In general, methylenebisacrylamide may serve as a bridging agent for compounds containing active hydrogen atoms. Potential applications exist in molding resins, adhesives and coating compounds. (Some or all of the above items are covered by U.S. or foreign patents)

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Features: In preparation of phosphorus esters, amides, and anhydrides, reactions are analogous to those of phosphorus oxychloride. In addition, compound may be used to introduce sulfur into phosphates.

Description: Thiophosphoryl chloride, PSCl₃, is a reactive. colorless, mobile liquid with a characteristic odor. Properties include:

Boiling point (°C) 124-125 Sp gr (25/4°C) Vapor pressure (mm Hg @ 25°C) Refractive index (@ 35°C) 1.545

(PSCl₃ is a product of Westvaco Chemical Div., Food Machinery & Chemical Co., Dept. CP, 161 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3388 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Study shows effects of storage temp on plastisols

Basic study of effects of storage temperatures on viscosity of plastisol formulations shows DIDP-produced plastisols did not gel after 30 days under conditions simulating severe warehouse and transit temperatures. Tests also indicate similar slow viscosity build-up for plastisols incorporating diisodecyl adipate. Study also confirmed that manufacturer's Santicizers 160 and 141 impart extremely rapid fusion characteristics to such formulations. (Study was conducted by Organic Chemicals Div., Monsanto Chemical Co., Dept. CP, St. Louis 4,

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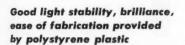
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Uses: As plasticizers for vinyl chloride resins.

Features: Compounds have reduced volatility, improved low-temperature properties, and excellent electrical properties. They are completely compatible with vinyl chloride resins.

Description: Flexols 810 and 812 are higher alcohol phthalate plasticizers, light-colored and chemically stable. When compounded, they are odorless, resistant to water extraction and "rub-off" from upholstery sheeting. In plastisols, Flexol 812 gives lower viscosities than 810.

(Plasticizers for vinyl chloride resins are a product of Carbide and Carbon Chemical Co., a Div. of Union Carbide and Carbon Corp., Dept. CP, 30 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3390 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



Uses: Plastic will be of particular significance to the lighting field for use in light fixtures, interior display signs, instrument dial faces and panels, and escutcheons.

Features: Formulation offers eight to ten times better light stability than general purpose polystyrene, and possesses brilliance, high clarity, and ease of fabrication.

Description: Styron 647, a light-stable formulation of polystyrene plastic, retains the characteristic physical and chemical properties of the general purpose material. The formulation comes in nonyellowing crystal and white colors.

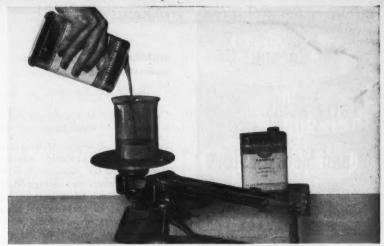
(Light-stable polystyrene is a development of The Dow Chemical Co., 1000 Main St., Midland, Mich. . . . or for more information reader may simply check 3391 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

How diatomite powders help insecticides, fertilizers

Folder shows how Celite (an inert diatomite powder) acts as an economical insecticide carrier, and as an anti-caking agent in deliquescent fertilizers. Bul FA-43A is issued by Celite Div., Johns-Manville Corp., Dept. CP, 22 E. 40th St., New York 16, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 3392 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.



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One type of pilot plant dispersion unit.

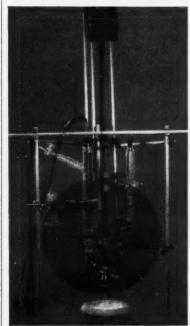


Pouring cool sample of sodium dispersed in high flash point medium illustrates ease of handling. Samples are available for initial investigations.

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SODIUM DISPERSIONS

With the development of sodium dispersions, the value of metallic sodium as a reaction tool on a commercial scale has been multiplied many times over. While sodium bricks and molten sodium have been used for years in the manufacture of materials



One type of laboratory dispersion unit.

such as sodium methylate and fatty alcohols, the high reactivity and ease of control inherent in dispersions permits a vast broadening of practical sodium applications.

To test the laboratory or pilot plant value of sodium dispersions in your process is a simple matter requiring little or no investment in equipment. For example, Figure I shows a simple laboratory unit consisting of a creased flask, a special high-speed stirrer, nitrogen purge lines, reflux condenser and addition funnel. Fifteen minutes mixing at 105° C. is generally sufficient to produce good dispersions containing 50% sodium with particles averaging 10 to 20 microns. Subsequent reactions may be carried out in the same equipment, giving high yields under easily controlled conditions.

Figure II shows a 15 gallon pilot plant dispersion unit which handles 20 to 50 pounds of sodium. Modified versions for handling smaller quantities are easily fabricated. The method of preparation and mixing time is quite similar to the laboratory equipment, and the charge consists of brick sodium or molten sodium from a melt tank. Units up to 500 gallon capacity have been put into operation.

Our technical service people

will be glad to work with you on modifications of equipment already available in your laboratory or pilot plant, and will supply complete information on dispersion preparation and use. In addition, we offer a booklet, "Sodium Dispersions", which tells you how to make and use these dispersions in many reactions, such as:

- -> Claisen Condensations.
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Stabilizes PVC formulations against heat and light . . .

Ba-Cd stabilizer finds use in rigids, plastisols

Uses: As a heat and light stabilizer for opaque or transparent formulations of polyvinyl chloride.

Features: Stabilizer retards haze formation and discoloration on prolonged exposure to high temperatures and UV radiation. It is especially efficient in PVC polymers and copolymers of varying molecular weight and when used in calendering, extrusions, solutions, organosols, or plastisols. Very small amounts of additional releasing agents are necessary with the powder form.

Description: Stabelan HR Powder is a white, practically odorless powder composed of barium and cadmium mixed fatty acid esters. Specific gravity of the powder is 1.13 ± 0.02 . Stabilizer is also available in liquid form, having a sp gr of 1.08 ± 0.02 . Liquid should be kept in closed containers and exposed to air only during weighing.

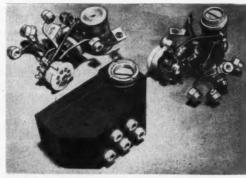
(Stabilizers for PVC are distributed by Harwick Standard Chemical Co., Dept. CP, 60 S. Seiberling St., Akron 5, Ohio . . . Check CP 3395, pgs. 2-3.)

Range of usefulness for casting resin for making electronic embedments is -100° to over 392°F...

cured plastic has low coefficient of expansion

Uses: As a casting resin for producing electronic embedments, such as for power transformers, transistors, and complete electronic circuits.

Features: Castings can be subjected to temperatures in the range of -100° F without harmful



Embedments have wide operating temperature range

results because of low temperature coefficient. Upper range is 392°F; and for short periods, temperatures of 500°F can be endured. Other important features are low shrinkage during cure, and good adhesion to a wide range of materials.



Tetrahydrofuran—intermediate and powerful solvent

TETRAHYDROFURAN

Perhaps better known for its high solvent power, tetrahydrofuran has also promising possibilities as a chemical intermediate. A wide variety of reactions indicate its versatility, for example: ring fission; it can be polymerized by

acid catalysts. Other typical reactions:

Oxidation.....succinic acid

Chlorination

2,3-dichlorotetrahydrofuran

Hydrochlorination . . . 4-chlorobutanol

Acylation esters of 1-4 butanediol

THF is useful in extraction and as a solvent medium, particularly for Grignard, lithium aluminum hydride and sodium acetylide reactions. Its ethes structure, stability, low boiling point and solvent capacity point to a promising future for THF in both fields.

The hard-to-dissolve polyvinyl chlorides and vinylidene chloride copolymers used in the plastics field offer a tough test for a solvent. Yet, THF dissolves these high molecular weight materials at room temperature—producing solutions that combine high solids content with practical working viscosities. Improved adhesive compositions for plastics, formulations for printing inks, lacquers for topcoating of plastic sheeting are possibilities because of the superior solvent power of THF.

A colorless liquid, THF is readily miscible with water, ketones and most of the common organic solvents. Mixing with THF improves the solvent power of weaker solvents, and THF-dimethyl formamide mixtures exhibit synergistic solvent powers. At room temperatures, DMF dissolves less than 5% of polyvinyl chloride and THF about 17%. Yet a mixture of 65% THF and 35% DMF will dissolve about 24% polyvinyl chloride. These

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Sodium dispersion speeds reactions, improves yields

Microscopic particles of sodium dispersed in an inert medium offer definite advantages over bulk sodium in many reactions. Yields are better, reactions faster — frequently at lower temperatures.

For example, at about 60°C., using ½ to ½ inch cubes of sodium, the reaction time for the self condensation of ethyl acetate to yield sodioaceto-acetic ester is over 28 hours. Equal yields result in 7 to 9 hours when a sodium dispersion is used—and the reaction temperature may be lowered as much as 10°C.

Sodium dispersions were first developed by Du Pont and are particularly useful in systems where sodium is insoluble. Here, reaction time is a function of the surface area of the sodium, and in dispersion form, a vast area is exposed. Dispersions present no handling problem, since up to 50% sodium content produces no appreciable change in the fluidity of the dispersion medium.

Find out more about sodium dispersions by checking the coupon. A Du Pont booklet will be sent to you which describes how these dispersions are made and where they can be used.

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Organic acids react readily with hydrogen peroxide to form peracids—effective agents for converting olefinic compounds to epoxides or hydroxy compounds. The double bond in maleic acid, for example, can be hydroxylated to form tartaric acid.

For more information about "Albone" hydrogen peroxide, properties and applications, check the coupon.

New Alkali-Soluble Vinyl Polymer

"Elvadex" vinyl polymer is a unique vinyl acetate copolymer which is soluble in alkaline solutions and insoluble in neutral or acidic solutions. It is also soluble in many low-cost organic solvents.

"Elvadex" is useful as an off-loom finish for dope-dyed acetate yarn, warp size for synthetic fibers and for clear, glossy, greaseproof coatings on paper. Other applications include use as a thickener, pigment dispersant, or flow improver for latex paints; as a base for lacquers and aniline-type inks, and as an ingredient of emulsion-type floor wax.

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exhibits characteristics similar to those of other glycols. Dehydration, oxidation, esterification and acetalization can be carried out to yield a variety of interesting derivatives.

Esters and polyesters of 1,5-pentanediol may be used as plasticizers, emulsifying agents and resin intermediates. Other possible applications include steam-set inks, paper coatings, leather treating and finishing compositions, perfumes, soaps and detergents.

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Description: Stycast 2850 GT is a modified epoxide casting resin. Supplied as a viscous, portable resin, it cures to a black opaque product. Cured at 100°C for one hour, resin has the following typical properties:

Tensile strength (psi)	8400
Flexural strength (psi)	13,300
Flexural modulus (psi)	2 x 10°
Impact (Izod, ft Ib/in of notch)	0.24
Shrinkage (%)	<1
Heat distortion point (°F)	347
Water absorption (7 days)	< 0.1
Dielectric strength (v/m)	455
Dielectric constant (10° to 10° cy,	
approx.)	4.7
Volume resistivity (ohm-cm @ 25°C)	5 x 1016
Dissipation factor (10° to 10° cy,	
approx.)	0.01

For this elevated temperature cure, 4% of Catalyst #11 is added, on the basis of resin weight. For room temperature cure, 2% of Catalyst #9 is used. Complete cure is obtained in about 24 hours at room temp, with hardening taking place in about four.

(Epoxide casting resin is a product of Emerson & Cuming, Inc., Dept. CP, 869 Washington St., Canton, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 3397 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Triphosphopyridine nucleotide has exceptional purity

Triphosphopyridine nucleotide (TPN), also known as coenzyme II, has approximately 100% purity. Coenzyme has been purified by ion-exchange chromatography. TPN is a necessary co-factor in the metabolic oxidation of sugars and also in the citric acid cycle.

(TPN is a product of Pabst Laboratories, Div. of Pabst Brewing Co., Dept. CP, 1037 W. McKinley Avenue, Milwaukee 3, Wisconsin . . . or for more information about manufacturer's product reader may simply check CP 3398 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

Reviews general effect of lecithin on TiO₂ dispersion in latex paints

Monograph shows effect of lecithin on dispersion of rutile and of anatase titanium dioxide in latex paints, together with its effect on behavior of the pH and viscosity of the paint system. Seven graphs and 12 tables appear in the eight-page reprint.

"Effect of Lecithin on the Dispersion of Titanium Dioxide in Latex Paints" may be obtained by remitting 25c direct to Office of Information Services, New York University, University Heights, New York 53, N.Y.



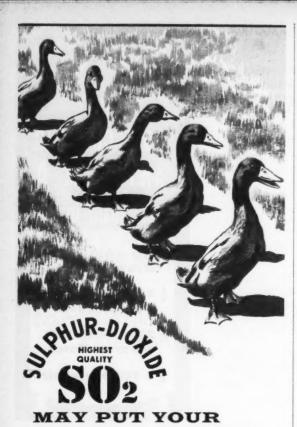
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materials

Dimethyl silicone gum has high viscosity, is easy to handle with conventional compounding equipment



Availability of silicone gum and formulation data allows compounders to —

formulate silicone rubber for specific requirements

No preliminary breakdown needed with gum which can be mixed with components on conventional equipment

Uses: When combined with heat-stable fillers, additives, and a vulcanizing agent, gum yields a variety of silicone rubber compounds for a wide range of applications, such as electrical insulation.

Features: Material is a stable and uniform silicone rubber gum that allows fabricators and compounders to put their know-how to best advantage in formulating silicone rubbers which meet specific requirements.

From one gum, stocks which meet AMS or SAE-ASTM specs or military wire and cable insulation requirements can be compounded.

Description: Dow Corning 400 Gum is a clear, high molecular weight, high viscosity dimethyl silicone polymer. Williams plasticity is 45 mils and sp gr (@ 25°C) is 0.98. When properly compounded, products are heat-stable and serviceable over a -70 to 500°F temperature range. They are resistant to weathering, oxidation, and action of

chemicals, oils, and corrosive gases. Tensiles pull in the range of 600-700 psi after a cure of four hours at 400°F. Corresponding elongations are about 170-110%. Duro is close to 70, Shore A scale.

Requiring no breakdown, gum and components can be milled on conventional water-cooled, two-roll, differential speed mills.

Fillers should be neutral, heat-stable inorganics such as silica, diatomaceous earth, metallic oxides, or CaCO₃. In general, benzoyl peroxide dispersed in Dow Corning 200 Fluid (such as Luperco ASF and Cadet 35) or *tert*-butyl perbenzoate make the most satisfactory vulcanizing agents.

Ingredients are added in this order: gum, filler, additives, cure agent. After cure has been added, processing temperatures should be kept below 130°F. When stock is thoroughly blended, it should be strained in order to obtain best results. Cure temperature of rubbers containing benzoyl peroxide is 260°F; for rubber made up with the perbenzoate, 300°F.

Cleanliness is important. Mill must be free of organic contaminants, such as rubber, grease, or carbon black, which inhibit vulcanization and alter cured properties.

(Silicone gum is a product of Dow Corning Corp., Dept. CP, 592 Saginaw Rd., Midland, Mich. . . . or check CP 3401 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

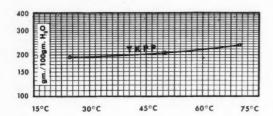
Highly soluble in water, agent sequesters twice as much Mg++ as Ca++

recommended for softening waters of high magnesium content

Uses: For building potassium soaps in order to prevent precipitation of less soluble soda soaps, and as a sequestering agent for clarifying liquid soaps and shampoos. In textile applications, sequestering properties of compound are of value in degumming silk, and increasing effectiveness of dyeing agents in hard water. It is also used in water treatment and as a catalyst activator in the manufacture of cold rubber. Material is an excellent peptizing agent for keeping certain pigments in suspension in latex-based paints.

Features: Compound has high solubility in water, and is very stable even in boiling water.

SOLUBILITY OF TKPP



It has the ability to sequester approximately twice as much magnesium as calcium. Thus it can be recommended for softening waters that have a high magnesium, as well as calcium content.

Description: Tetrapotassium Pyrophosphate (TKPP) is a white, deliquescent powder with a theoretical P₂O₅ content of 42.9%. Its solubility in water is shown by the graph. Other properties include:

Assay (%)	
K ₄ P ₂ O ₇	96.8
K ₂ HPO ₄	0.4
K ₂ SO ₄	0.1
K ₂ CO ₃	0.2
Ignition loss	1.0
Sequestering values (gm/100 gm TKPP)	
Mg	6.7
Ca	3.8
Fe	0.2
pH of 1% solution	10.2

(TKPP is a product of Westvaco Chemical Div., Food Machinery & Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 161 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3402 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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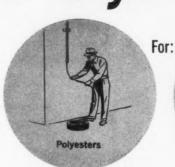
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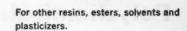








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	• Iron
	• Free Ammonia
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How industry uses this versatile chemical:

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ADHESIVES: Manufacture of urea-formaldehyde resin adhesives, including plywood and paper adhesives, binder for composition board made of wood waste, cold-set glues, laminating resins, and core binders . . . solubilizer in casein, animal and starch glues.

FINISHES: In enamels and other finishes in the form of modified urea-formaldehyde resins . . . in fire-resistant paints.

PAPERs in urea-formaldehyde resins for imparting wet strength to paper and paper coatings . . . softener for glassine paper and similar products . . . ingredient in fire-resistant compositions

... solubilizer for starch in coatings.

PLASTICS: Manufacture of urea-formaldehyde resin molding compositions.

TEXTILES: In urea-formaldehyde resins to improve crush and crease resistance... in acid and direct dyes for screen and roller printing of textiles... with starch and other materials for sizing and finishing many types of textiles... in flameproofing compositions.

Du Pont Crystal Urea also finds many uses in such fields as cosmetics, detergents and pharmaceuticals.

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Increases chemical resistance, gloss, adhesion when added to coatings; cuts viscosity of plastisols . . .

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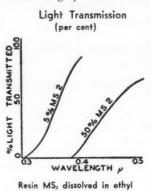
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Uses: To improve characteristics of enamels and lacquers, and influence viscosity of vinyl plastisols.

Features: When added to urea-alkyd enamels, resin improves resistance to alkalis, soaps, and detergents. In nitrocellulose lacquers, adhesion is improved and gloss increased, as well as is hardness and alkali resistance. Viscosity of vinyl lacquers is lowered by addition of the resin, and adhesion to smooth surfaces is raised.

In vinyl plastisols, it replaces from 2.6 to 15% of vinyl resin, lowering initial viscosity and maintaining viscosity stability for long periods of time. When used in fabric retexturing, resin contributes to water- and crease-resistance and improves the hand.

Description: An alicyclic ketone resin, Resin MS2 is highly resistant to ultraviolet and visible



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light, is unsaponifiable, and is substantially neutral. It has a high degree of resistance to acids, alkalis, and water, yet is soluble in a wide range of organic solvents. Material is compatible with PVC dispersion grade resins, and a wide range of coating resins, film-formers, and ester plasticizers.

Typical physical properties of the pale yellow brittle

Acid number Prac	tically zero
Softening point (ball & ring, °C)	85-95
Sp gr (25°C)	1.078
Color (Rosin standards)	X
Color of 50% soln. in xylene (I.P.V.R.)	3

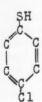
(Alicyclic ketone resin is a product of Baird Chemical Corp., Dept. CP, 254 W. 31st St., New York 1, N.Y. . . . or check CP 3405, pages 2 and 3.)

New designations for Corrosion-resistant Alloys. See page 200 for tabulation, recommendations

From p-chlorothlophenol come oil additives, insecticides . . .

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potential anti-malarials, and may be used to prepare mixed disulfides, which have been suggested as oil additives, insecticides, and fungicides. By analogy with chlorophenol, p-chlorothiophenol should be a good intermediate in synthesis

of insecticidal synergists, fungicides, and herbicides. On reaction with various phosphorus and sulfur chlorides and oxichlorides, compound forms products which have possibilities as insecticides, plasticizers, stabilizers, and oil additives. Assay of chemical, as supplied, is 99% (minimum) with 0.1% ash (maximum).

(p-Chlorothiophenol is a product of Evans Chemetics, Inc., Dept. CP, 250 E. 43rd St., New York 17, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3406 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Isopropyl ether is offered in reagent grade . . .

water content is below 0.05%

Isopropyl ether is available as a certified reagent. Water is below 0.05%, and alcohol is under 0.1%. Ether is packaged in pint, quart, and gallon units.

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MINOT'S LEDGE LIGHT, one of America's most famous waveswept lighthouses, guards ships against treacherous reefs 6½ miles southwest of the entrance to Boston Harbor. The first tower at Minot's Ledge, an openwork iron pile structure completed in 1850, was toppled into the sea by a great storm in 1851. The second tower, built of interlocking granite blocks and completed in 1860, still stands solidly on the ledge.

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MATERIALS

Roller or screen printing on cottons and viscose with brown dye

Uses: For roller or screen printing on cottons and viscose alongside azoics, pigments, or other soluble vats where acid aging is used.

Features: Brown dye has excellent leveling properties for dyeing cotton, rayon, and linen dress goods and shirtings. On tightly woven cotton fabrics, slub weave rayons, and mercerized broadcloths, dye shows a solid surface appearance.

Description: Calco Soluble Vat Brown BY is latest addition to manufacturer's line of leuco ester colors. Dye is also effective on wool where light and wet fastness properties are required.

(Brown dye is a development of Dyestuff Dept., American Cyanamid Co., Dept. CP, Bound Brook, N. J. Check CP 3409, pages 2 and 3.)

Lowers firing temperature of ceramic materials, allows fast firing

Uses: In ceramic materials such as wall tile, floor tile, dinnerware, and artware.

Features: Flux lowers firing temperature of most ceramic bodies, when used in small amounts. In larger amounts, it permits small ceramic products to be fired rapidly and continuously in conveyor belt furnaces or decorating kilns.

Description: Vitromix is a finely-ground body flux. Tiles containing the material have been produced commercially at 1350 to 1400°F in 60 to 150 minutes.

(Flux for ceramics is a product of Vitro Corporation of America, Dept. CP, (0 Greenway Dr., Pittsburgh 4, Pa. Check CP 3410, pages 2 and 3.)

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Uses: In cream shampoos, either liquid or paste, and as an emulsifying agent for such products as dishwashing compositions, car washes, personal cleansing components, and in emulsion polymerization.

Features: Compound, lightest colored sodium lauryl sulfate available, yields uniform results when formulated into shampoos. Viscosity difficulties are practically eliminated as are variations in shampoo stability. Compound is indefinitely stable under neutral or alkaline conditions.

Description: Pendit WA Cosmetic is a slightly viscous, clear, liquid sodium lauryl sulfate, having the following uniform specifications:

Sodium alcohol sulfate (%)	28-30
Free fatty alcohol (%)	1.0-2.5
Sodium chloride (%, max)	1
Sodium sulfate (%, max)	1.5
pH (10% solution)	7.0-8.5
Sp gr	1.04-1.06

Suggested formula for liquid cream shampoos:

	High active	Low active
Pendit WA Cosmetic	40%	20%
Coconut fatty acid amide	3.5	3.5
Ethylene glycol monostearate Inorganic salts (NaCl,	3	3
Na ₂ SO ₄ , etc.)	0.5	0.5
Color and perfume Water to make 100%	(sufficient	quantity)

Heat Cosmetic to 150-160°F. Add with agitation coconut fatty acid amide and ethylene glycol monostearate. Mix until thoroughly dispersed. Add water and inorganic salts. (Salt content can be adjusted to provide desired viscosity, but at least 0.3% should be used to insure stability.) After mixing is complete, cool to 120°F, add color and perfume. Fill at room temperature.

(Sodium lauryl sulfate is a product of Raymond Laboratories, Inc., Dept. CP, 261 E. Fifth, St. Paul 1, Minn. Check CP 3412, pages 2 and 3.)

Issue technical bulletin on morpholine

Used for making rubber accelerators, dyestuffs, pharmaceuticals, emulsifying agents, oil solubilizers, and corrosion inhibitors — morpholine is a versatile industrial chemical.

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looking into the future



Catch-box being rolled under continuous centrifugal where it will catch cake

is everyday business at centrifuge research center

Preliminary, large-scale, and production tests predict centrifuge or filter performance at Massachusetts lab

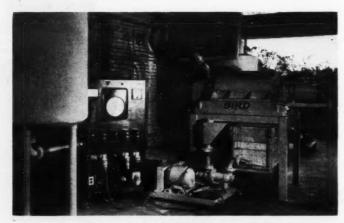
How they do It-

Starting with an inquiry about how a particular product can be best filtered or centrifuged and what performance should be expected, basic requirements — rate, temperature, wash, fractionation point material is to be classified — are eatablished. A preliminary sample is secured, usually a gallon, and the lab is ready to go to work.

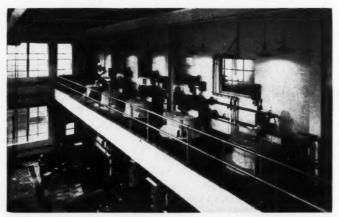
Physical properties are checked, then slurry is subjected to various centrifugal, vacuum, and pressure tests to establish its centrifuging-filtering characteristics. Estimates of capacity, cake moisture, recovery, washability are formulated. Thus the laboratory can submit a preliminary report predicting relative performance on continuous or batch centrifugals, vacuum or pressure filters. Should this preliminary check show the slurry to be an application for one or more equipment types, large scale tests are recommended.

At this stage a careful review of preliminary test results in the light of process requirements will point up the equipment best able to do the job. Material is then secured for production equipment tests. This may vary from fifty to five hundred gallons, depending upon problem at hand.

Large scale tests are usually witnessed, resulting in very close cooperation between customer and the laboratory personnel. Samples of feed, cake, and effluent representing expected performance are analyzed in the analytical section of the laboratory while tests are in progress. All of this makes it possible to observe how a material handles on various types of equipment and customers actually witness equipment performance first hand without going into production.



Continuous centrifugal filter being set up for test



Second deck for lab allows access to slurry tanks

How it worked out-

A typical case history goes something like this. A leading resin producer became interested at the Chemical Exposition in Philadelphia. Processor supplied information regarding his problem: dewatering and washing of a new resin.

A gallon sample was obtained and the lab started to work, with complete knowledge of temperatures, production rate, wash requirements, and cake moisture desired. Preliminary testing indicated that this material had excellent settling characteristics and that it should be a good application for a continuous solid bowl centrifuge. Further, small scale centrifuge tests indicated that the continuous centrifuge would discharge a cake containing about 25 to 28% moisture by weight. Preliminary washing tests indicated that material would lend itself to effective wash in continuous centrifugal equipment. Preliminary filtration tests were conducted and in this particular case indications were that vacuum filter cake could be expected to be about 10% higher in moisture than a continuous centrifuge cake.

Results of the preliminary tests were reported to the resin producer who in turn shipped 300 gallons of slurry for large scale test. This time one of his design engineers was present to observe the material being handled in production equipment. Centrifuge tests indicated that 99.9% of the solids could be recovered and that the predicted cake moisture content of 25 to 28% by weight satisfactorily bracketed the 26.4 to 27.2% actually obtained. Various wash ratios were employed and the samples analyzed in the laboratory for resulting purity. Satisfactory purity was obtained using approximately one half pound of wash per pound of dry solids.

Report, together with the samples from cake, feed, and effluent was sent to the resin maker for check analysis. The report with a quotation furnished technical information, recommendations, and cost data for an installation to meet requirements.

Continuous centrifugal filter was installed. A field engineer was on hand for the initial start-up. A return visit several weeks later indicated that the equipment had met performance requirements and added another name to the long list of applications which were first checked in the Bird Research and Development Center.

(This laboratory, the Bird Research and Development Center, is maintained by Bird Machine Company, Dept. CP, South Walpole, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 3415, pages 2 and 3.)

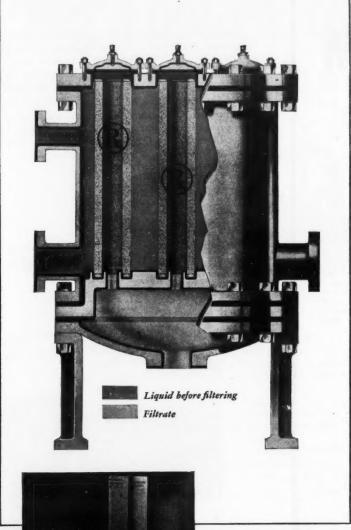
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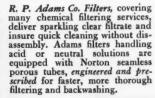
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Rotating-disc column already proved on mercaptans, essential oils, and halogenated hydrocarbon extractions

Highly efficient, simple and economical to operate, and easy to maintain — these are features of Rotating Disc Contactor (RDC)*, a liquid-liquid countercurrent extraction column which overcomes the main disadvantages of conventional extraction equipment. Relatively low priced, the unit is said to offer significant economic advantages both to new and existing extraction plants. Column was developed by Shell Development Company and its associates in the *Patent 2,601,674; other patent applications pending

course of several years of research work and testing.

Simply designed, contactor consists of a vertical cylinder containing stationary doughnut-like baffles and a rotating shaft fitted with circular horizontal discs (rotator discs) spaced between baffles. Shaft passes through gland in flanged top cover of contactor and is gear-driven by small electric motor. Shaft speed in many commercial applications is below 100 rpm.

Column is divided into three sections. Top and bottom sections are small settling compartments in which the dispersed phase separates and the interface level is maintained. Interface can be held in either compartment, depending upon whether light phase or heavy phase is dispersed.

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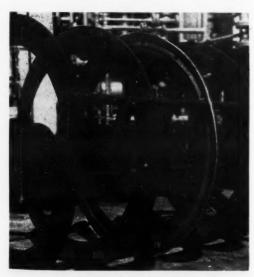


Close-up of shaft and rotary discs of RDC column

Series of horizontal rings (stator rings) divide section into compartments. Shaft is located so that each rotor disc is midway between adjacent stator rings. Outer diameter of rotor discs is smaller than inner diameter of stator rings, so that rotors can be inserted or withdrawn.

In typical application lighter liquid enters at bottom of column and flows upward, countercurrent to descending heavier liquid entering at top. One of the liquids disperses into droplets which circulate in and pass through compartments defined by stator rings. Rate of counterflow of phases is function of difference in their densities, size of drops, and opposing velocity of continuous phase. Rotor discs control drop size and circulation rate within a compartment. Disperse phase holdup and surface area for mass transfer are varied by adjusting rotor speed. This provides

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Stator rings divide column into compartments

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Radio Valve of Toronto faces this problem. In making its TV tubes, large quantities of the purest water possible are needed. Obliged to use regular city water, Radio Valve's first job is to filter this water to make it sterile and free of minerals. Next, 2 or 3 gallons are introduced into each TV tube. A fluorescent powder is added, which is allowed to settle on the screen. After decanting the water, screens are checked for flaws. Obviously, impurities in the water mean flaws in the screen, and a loss of time and money.

Since the installation of Grinnell-Saunders Diaphragm Valves, this user reports screening losses cut in half! Contamination of the purified water is eliminated, because the water passing through the valve is completely isolated from the valve mechanism. Of the Grinnell valves in this service, approximately 90% are stainless steel.

With the Grinnell-Saunders valve, the flexible diaphragm lifts high for streamline flow, in either direction; closure is positive against pressure or vacuum. There are no packing glands to demand attention, no metal-to-metal seats to become damaged or wire-drawn, no refacing or reseating. Body, lining and diaphragm materials are available to meet different service conditions. Write for full details.





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simple and effective method of obtaining optimum extraction conditions for any given system.

Flooding will occur at excessive rotor speeds because droplets are too small and dispersed phase cannot rise as fast as it is fed into column. Extraction efficiency is greatest at a rotor speed just before flooding occurs. Volumetric efficiency of unit (flow rate divided by volume of a theoretical stage, employing total cross-section of column) is reported to be greater than any other commercially available gravity flow contactors for which test data have been published.

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Rotor speeds necessary for maximum efficiency vary with specific gravity difference, interfacial tension, tendency of phases to emulsify, viscosity, and temperature of given system. At present, in designing RDC's, it is not known how to predict performance from physical properties alone. Plot runs must be made to evaluate effect of rotor speed and throughput on column efficiency. Extractors have been built in sizes ranging from 2" to 7"3" diameter.

Systems on which RDC units are already in service include furfural-lube oil, extractive separation of halogenated hydrocarbons, sodium-hydroxide extraction of mercaptans from gasoline fractions, unsulfated organic materials from ester-salts solution with gasoline, and concentration of valuable essential oil components.

(RDC's for chemical field applications are available under Shell license from Turbo-Mixer, a division of General American Transportation Corporation, 380 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York . . . or for more information check CP 3420 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Ideas for corrosion control — December CP...

Recent, pertinent technical papers on corrosion prevention—by specialists in the field—will be condensed in the expanded Corrosion Control section in the December issue of CHEMICAL PROCESSING. This feature section will give you ideas for battling corrosion in your own plant.

The corrosion feature will include a guest editorial by Dr. Aaron Wachter, of Shell Development, an outstanding authority on corrosion problems. Ideas may also be obtained from the most-recent developments in corrosion control that will appear, as well as from articles covering actual case histories in chemical plants.

For these and other ideas for combating corrosion—see December CP.

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Central vacuum cleaning system installed in boiler room at Clifton Paperboard Company, Clifton, N.J., cuts hours from job of recovering unused coal from boilers. Same system is also used for removing fly ash from boilers and for general clean-up work around the room.

Here is how the system works. Vacuum is created by a 790-cfm blower, and is carried in a 5" diam pipe to various locations in the boiler room. Hinged caps in the pipe enable workers to connect flexible hose-



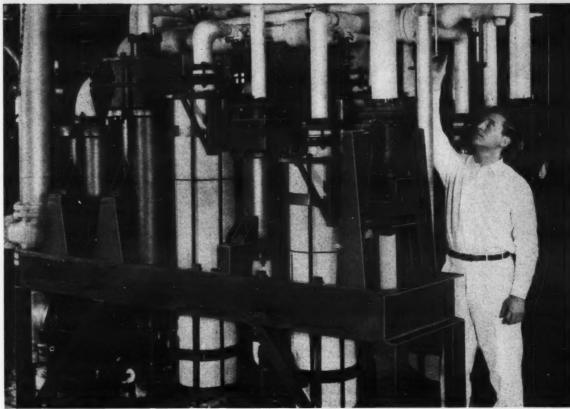
Removing unused coal from boilers is simple task with central vacuum system. Typical hose connection to vacuum manifold is at right foreground

and-nozzle assembly into vacuum system virtually anywhere in the room. A pair of hoppers installed on vacuum side of exhauster, act as separators for material being collected. Primary hopper catches larger particles; secondary hopper traps fine particles. To clean out a wind box, flexible hose assembly is connected to nearest vacuum outlet and the nozzle is inserted into the box. Coal is picked up, carried through system, and collects in primary separator (about 3-ton capacity).

Recovered coal is dropped through hatchway at bottom of separator into a lorry which takes the coal back to furnaces' hopper for reuse. Fine particles and dust are reclaimed by vacuum-driven fly-ash reclaimer connected to top of secondary separator. Reclaimed fines are blown directly into fire bed for their fuel value.

Time and manpower savings resulting from use of system are reported to pay for it within two years. (Central vacuum system is development of the

(Central vacuum system is development of the Lamson Corp., Dept. CP, 303 Lamson St., Syracuse 1, N. Y. . . . Check CP 3421, pages 2 and 3.)



FOUR-STAGE WORTHINGTON STEAM JET EJECTORS of impervious graphite, with two porcelain barometric intercondensers at Pfizer plant. Ejectors are used to maintain vacuum in vitamin A synthesis.

Worthington steam jet ejectors maintain vacuum under corrosive vapor attack at Pfizer

Exhibit A in the case for Worthington steam jet ejectors is this installation at Chas. Pfizer & Co. plant in Groton, Conn.

Two years ago these Worthington units replaced rotary vacuum pumps assigned to maintaining a steady vacuum for a distillation process in the manufacture of synthetic vitamin A. This constant vacuum of 1 mm (equal to 0.04 inches of mercury) must be held for two days, the period of processing. When corrosive vapors showed up unexpectedly in the process, the rotary vacuum pumps just couldn't take it. These vapors have no effect, however, on the Worthington ejectors which

are designed specifically to function reliably under the toughest kind of corrosive conditions.

Maybe your product is corrosive; maybe it isn't. But if you need a vacuum from atmosphere to 50 microns absolute, take a long look at Worthington's comprehensive line of steam jet ejectors which use regular plant steam. They're low in first cost, and their operating and maintenance expenses are practically non-existent — no moving parts. You can specify them in stainless, bronze, porcelain, impervious graphite, Worthite, cast iron or steel. Write Worthington Corporation, Steam Power Division, Ejector Section X.3.2, Harrison, New Jersey.

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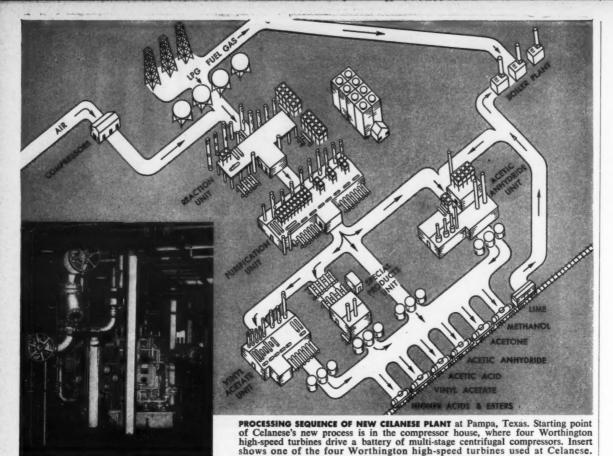
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Four high-speed Worthington turbines drive compressors in new Celanese plant

In May, 1953, Celanese Corporation of America opened their new petro-chemical plant near Pampa, Texas, in the heart of the Panhandle.

By employing a new air-oxidation process, the Pampa plant will produce 1,800,000 lbs. of glacial acetic acid weekly, with 95% normal butane used as a charging stock.

Celanese selected four high-speed Worthington steam turbines to drive the centrifugal compressors used to compress air at the start of the oxidation process. The speeds of the turbines were determined by the nature of the process itself: two of the units are rated 3070 hp at 10,000 rpm, and two are rated 5000 hp at 7500 rpm. The control problem created by this arrangement was solved by using Worthington Woodward governors with built-in air motors. The four turbine-compressor units are synchronized automatically by instrumentation in the control room.

There's a good reason why Celanese - and so many other leading industrial names - choose Worthington highspeed turbines for compressor and blower drives. They know that Worthington's long experience in compressordrive engineering assures them of getting exactly the right type and size drive for their needs.

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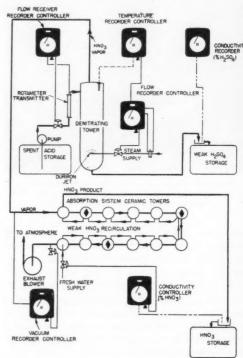
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Automatic control found practical in recovery of spent acid from nitration . . .

steam stripping separates nitric and sulfuric, turns out usable 60% nitric

It has not been common practice to employ extensive instrumentation in systems for recovery of spent mixed acid. System outlined here, however, is being installed in a growing number of plants. It is automatic and provides accurate process supervision and control. Operating conditions are held stable — a feat practically impossible with manual control. Product is a uniform grade of 60% nitric acid.

Mixed sulfuric and nitric enter a ceramic-packed Duriron tower at concentrations from 70 to 80%. Steam, throttled in the range 120-150 psi, separates them. Dilute sulfuric bottoms are collected; nitric



Steam flow rate and tower temperature are cascaded for accurate and safe control of acid stripping tower

vapors are pulled through the overhead line to ceramic absorption towers. Tower top temperature resets steam input controller. Optimum range is 215 to 230°F. Acid input is controlled for a constant rate.

In addition to close temperature control, this cascade control compensates for variations in feed composition and steam pressure. It also prevents pressure surges which could blow out putty and sulfur seals on joints of the Duriron tower.

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To control vacuum at the exhaust blower (control range: ½ to ½" of water) air is bled in through a butterfly valve. Valve is driven by vacuum controller measuring vacuum in the line (as shown here) or tower top. Two factors favor this method of control. First, because of the vacuum, any leaks in putty of sulfur joints are leaks into the system. No noxious fumes escape. Second, air bleed is an easy method of holding down vapor velocity in the line. High velocities overwork absorption towers, raise their temperatures, cut absorption efficiencies, and —in extreme cases — even lead to cracking of towers from overheating.

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While precise hour-to-hour control is not practical by this method, 12 and 24 hour records show a constant 60% nitric acid product. These records are made by conductivity controller-recorder at input of nitric storage tank. This controller governs fresh water input to absorption train. If short-period product uniformity is important enough to warrant it, fresh water can be ratioed to mixed acid feed and reset (cascade) by the conductivity controller.

(Spent acid recovery system was engineered by The Foxboro Co., Dept. CP, 174 Neponset Ave., Foxboro, Mass. Check CP 3424, pages 2 and 3.)

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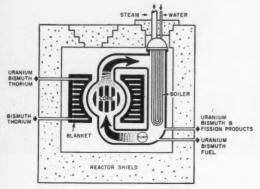
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Nuclear reactor "breeds" own fuel and delivers by-products to waste tanks . . .

believe full-scale system could produce electricity from fission heat at very low cost

Preliminary design has been completed on nuclear reactor system which can generate electric power, "breed" new fuel for itself, and deliver by-products to waste tanks, all in continuous processes. Using liquid metal alloy (uranium-bismuth) as fuel



CORE OF LIQUID-METAL-FUEL REACTOR

stream to inter-connect continuous processes, it is believed that a full-scale system could provide electrical energy from fission heat at lowest possible cost.

Fission of U_{233} atoms would occur in the LMFR (liquid metal fuel reactor) core, a perforated graphite sphere five feet in diameter. Heat from fission would be conveyed by molten uranium-bismuth alloy out of core and transferred to liquid sodium outside reactor. Sodium would deliver heat to water, producing steam to spin turbine driving generator.

Gaseous fission products would be removed from core by piping off part of molten uranium-bismuth and then sweeping products out of the liquid metal with an inert gas. Liquid salts such as potassium or lithium chloride could also be mixed with the bismuth carrier. Salts would draw off fission products while leaving uranium in the bismuth. While gaseous and liquid fission products are piped into storage tanks, uranium-bearing bismuth would be pumped back through core to continue production of heat.

Surrounding the core would be a graphite structure, or "blanket", through which would flow mixture of thorium and bismuth. Excess neutrons from fissioning atoms would be captured by thorium and form more U₂₃₃ — thereby replacing fuel being destroyed.

New U288 would be continuously removed by extraction with molten salt, sent to storage tank, and

Service dictionary for ALCOA AL

Because of its long service life and low initial cost, ALCOA Aluminum has become one of the most popular metals in the chemical industries. Perhaps this service dictionary will help show why... and suggest some uses that can mean less down time, improved operations and greater savings in *your* business.

Acetic and other Aliphatic Acids

ALCOA Aluminum used in equipment producing glacial acetic acid has a service record as long as 17 years. Propionic and butyric acids as well as several of the higher molecular weight acids (fatty acids) also are processed, stored, and shipped in aluminum equipment.

Air and Gas Coolers

Aluminum heat exchanger tubes have been used successfully in air compressor intercoolers and aftercoolers. In one specific intercooler installation, aluminum tubes are still in service after more than 16 years with no significant corrosion being apparent. Alcoa Aluminum tubes are considered ideal for intercoolers handling natural gas, hydrogen sulfide, carbon dioxide, and many other gases.

Ammonia

ALCOA Aluminum heat exchanger tubes have given up to 15 years continuous service handling mixtures of ammonia gas, carbon dioxide, and water vapor in soda ash plants. More than 12 years of service have been experienced in the use of aluminum tubes in ammonia dephlegmators and condensers. Aluminum storage tanks, piping, and bubble cap towers for ammonia recovery are now in service.

Ammonium Nitrate

Ammonium nitrate and its aqueous solutions are handled extensively in aluminum. Aluminum evaporators, crystallizers, condensers,

screens, piping, pumps, tankage, and prilling towers are in use. Aluminum pressure vessels, piping, and tank cars are also used to handle ammonium nitrate fertilizer solutions.

Food and Drug Processing

ALCOA Aluminum has been used in these processes for over 30 years. Nontoxic to living organisms, aluminum successfully handles Chloromycetin, citric acid, gluconic acid, oxogluconic acid, calcium gluconate, dextro-lactic acid, Penicillin, Streptomycin, sorbose, and riboflavin.

Formaldehyde

Several ALCOA Aluminum condenser installations with excellent service records (some as long as 12 years) are in operation handling formaldehyde. Aluminum distillation towers, storage tanks, piping, heat exchangers, shipping drums, and tank cars also are in this service.

Hydrocyanic Acid

Aluminum process equipment for handling hydrocyanic acid includes distillation towers, absorption towers, heat exchangers, condensers, tankage, piping, and shipping drums.

Naval Stores

Naval stores—turpentine, rosin, copal, pentene, dipentene, and pinene—are widely handled in aluminum equipment. Aluminum resin kettles, evaporators, condensers, storage tanks,

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DA ALUMINUM in the chemical industries

transfer lines, distillation equipment, piping, and shipping drums have been in service for over 20 years.

Oxygen

Aluminum is one of the most economical materials of construction for tonnage oxygen plants. Its mechanical properties increase substantially with decreasing temperature with no loss in ductility. Among its applications in this field are low pressure fractionating towers, trays and bubble caps, reboilers, acetylene separators, piping, conventional heat exchangers, and unique gas-to-gas reversing exchangers with very high transfer characteristics.

Petroleum Products

Aluminum storage tank roofs for sour crude oils have been in service for more than 20 years in locations where steel roofs failed in less than 5 years. ALCOA Aluminum heat exchanger tubes have been used for more than 18 years handling sour gasoline stocks. Aluminum bubble cap towers have given service of 10-15 years in debutanizer columns handling gasoline distillate from West Texas sour crudes at 200-425°F. Aluminum's low cost coupled with its remarkable resistance to corrosion by sulfur compounds has established its use in this industry.

Refrigeration

In addition to the inorganic refrigerants,

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ammonia and sulfur dioxide, several halogenated organic compounds are used in aluminum refrigeration equipment. Of these, the Freons have proved very satisfactory for use in aluminum.

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For nearly 25 years Alcoa Aluminum has been in continuous service handling fatty acids in storage tanks, condensers, piping, and tank cars. Aluminum protects the stability and color of essential oils, edible oils and fats and glycerine . . . effecting trouble-free service and yielding a higher quality product.

Solvents & Oils

Oils from animal and vegetable sources have negligible action on aluminum. Thus, lard oil, castor oil, cottonseed oil, peanut oil, olive oil, and palm oil are processed in aluminum. Aluminum piping, tubing, and process equipment are also used to handle solvents such as naphtha, benzene, diethyl ether, and others.

Sulphur

One important factor favoring aluminum's use in the chemical and petroleum industries is its high resistance to corrosion by sulphur and sulphur compounds, notably hydrogen sulfide, one of the greatest sources of corrosion in the petroleum field. Sulphur vats, forms, piping, conveyors, hopper cars, and structures of ALCOA Aluminum are used to handle the elemental sulphur.

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fed back through core when needed. Thoriumbismuth stream would be pumped back through blanket. Fission products formed in blanket would be removed by treatment similar to that used in the fuel processing.

(Summary of paper presented at University of Michigan meeting of American Institute of Chemical Engineers, by Clarke Williams and Francis T. Miles, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, Long Island, New York.)

Vacuum bag molding easier with sealing tape

More efficient and economical molding of polyester glass fiber laminates is said to be possible with a versatile sealing tape. Designed to replace metal forms, gaskets, rings, and C-clamps in hermetically sealing the polyvinyl alcohol blanket or bag in vacuum bag molding, the tape is highly workable and exhibits good pressure-sensitive adhesion.

Extruded in ribbons or beads, tape provides tight seal, eliminating air pockets and bridges when air is pumped out of mold. Sealer is permanently soft, odorless, non-staining, non-bleeding, non-toxic, and will not flow at 300°F.

(579.6 polyvinyl film sealer is product of Presstite Engineering Company, Dept. CP, 3798 Chouteau, Avenue, St. Louis 10, Missouri . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3427 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

Physiological, toxicological testing described in catalog

Services available for physiological and toxicological testing are described in illustrated 16-page catalog. Designed to meet needs of industry, laboratory staff organizes and executes testing programs, acts as consultant, or conducts short-term screening tests to determine potentialities of new products or processes.

Catalog discusses organization's professional staff and facilities available. Handling of work is described — emphasizing confidential treatment. Typical services in 10 fields are listed and explained. Included are toxicology, industrial hygiene, pharmacology, chemistry, microbiology, pathology, entomology, veterinary medicine, dentistry, and medicine.

"The Practical Approach to Your Problems" is issued by the Industrial Bio-Test Laboratories, Inc., Dept. CP, 4122 South Union Avenue, Chicago 9, Illinois. When inquiring specify CP 3428 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Mobile compressor plant is hooked to 4160 or 2400volt power supply, connected to line that will carry air into plant, and then is put right to work

board, transformers, cooling and lubricating systems, the 138,000 pounds of equipment is fitted into a 60-ft railway box car.

Each compressor is self-sufficient and mounted on steel skids so that entire unit can be pulled out

of car for major maintenance. All components are of standard make. In operation, car and equipment vibrate no more than 0.030 inch in any direction. Units can operate for long periods in any ambient temperature from minus 25°F to plus 125°F and under severe humidity conditions. Car meets Association of American Railroads requirements for unrestricted box car travel in US.



One of the two 4-cylinder 2-stage compressors mounted in 60-ft railway box car. Each unit is driven by 500hp electric motor

Aside from their value in emergencies, mobile units are expected to effect considerable economies where need for air is temporary. Large industrial concerns with many plants can give all their production lines standby protection with mobile compressors.

(Mobile compressor was made by Clark Brothers Company, Division of Dresser Operations, Inc., Dept. CP, Lincoln Avenue and 5th Street, Olean, New York . . . or for more information check CP 3430 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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improved instrument takes readings 24 times faster at room temp than those currently used

Improved electric hygrometer of high sensitivity and rapid response has been developed. Device depends on change in electrical resistance of a salt film with change in humidity of surrounding air. Tests indicate that instrument will be particularly well suited to aerological work.

Hygrometer consists essentially of a thin film of salt, such as potassium dihydrogen phosphate, evaporated under vacuum on a specially treated 3 x 11/16 x 1/32 inch flat strip of glass or other insulating material. Water vapor absorbed on surface of this film reaches equilibrium concentration very quickly. Silver electrodes 1/16 inch wide, fastened to glass, are part of electronic circuit which measures resistance of film, providing continuous record of humidity.

A 63% change in indication, caused by sudden change in relative humidity, takes place in less than $\frac{1}{2}$ second at room temperature and in about 10 seconds at -20° C. In comparison with standard hygrometers in current use, this is a 24-fold increase in speed of response at room temperature and 13-fold increase at -20° C. Rapid response should increase accuracy and reliability of aerological measurements.

(Information courtesy of National Bureau of Standards, US Department of Commerce, Dept. CP, Washington 25, D. C.)

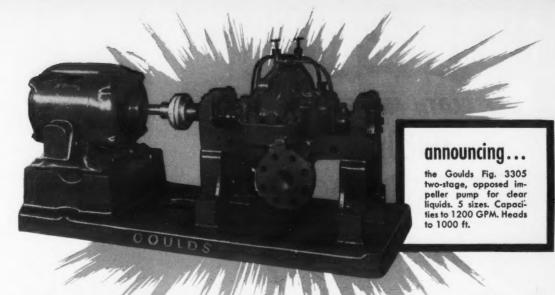
Scientific reasoning discussed in 16-page book

Practical application of tools of scientific method to everyday problems of industry and engineering is covered in 16-page booklet. Written so that the layman as well as the technical person can grasp the contents and apply them, book gives a new slant to some easily forgotten principles.

Starting from basic thought of what reasoning is, booklet covers concept of the sensed difficulty, techniques of establishing the problem, how to state the approach, and method of arriving at sound solutions. Section headings include: "Who Thinks?", "What Thinking Is", "What Meaning Means", "What is So", "Can You Prove It?", and many others.

Important part of booklet is valuable five-step review of basic material which can be used as reminder and guide to clear thinking.

To obtain "Methods of Reasoning" remit \$1.00 direct to Cleveland Engineering Society, Dept. CP, 2136 East 19th Street, Cleveland 15, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 3431, pages 2 and 3.

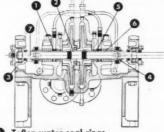


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(Lab is operated by Farrel-Birmingham Company, Inc., Dept. CP, East Main Street, Ansonia, Conn. Check CP 3434, pages 2 and 3.)

CI cells getting compact, making loss caustic as by-product . . .

> European mercury cells gaining popularity in US

Current trends in design of electrolytic cells for the manufacture of chlorine and caustic are: 1) to build them as compact as possible and 2) to produce chlorine with less by-product caustic.

In connection with this, European horizontal and vertical mercury cells are gaining popularity in US. Comparatively speaking, the American Hooker cell (diaphragm-type) has a lower total cost of investment



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and operation than the European diaphragm cell. The former also has a competitive cost of operation (including processing of caustic produced) compared to the European mercury cell.

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At present, 93% of Europe's total chlorine production is by electrolysis of sodium chloride in diaphragm and mercury cells.

(Summary of paper presented at New England meeting of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, by Norbert A. J. Platzer, Monsanto Chemical Company, Dept. CP, 1700 South Second St., St. Louis 4, Missouri.)

Film tells importance of clean water

Latest in the "More Power to America" series is 25-minute, full-color, 16-mm sound film designed to create awareness to growing of stream pollution and enlist public and industry support for programs geared to meet problem. Film outlines toll wrought on water resources by pollution, caused in part by rising national population and expanding industrial front.

Dramatizing importance of clean water to individual and his community, film tells of need for immediate action to combat existing and future pollution areas. Film also prescribes remedy: improved expanded water supplies through more industrial waste treatment, modernize municipal sewage disposal plants, and construction of municipal treatment facilities where none exist.

"Clean Waters" was produced for the General Electric Company, Dept. CP, Schenectady 5, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 3437, pages 2 and 3.

For more information on product at right, specify CP 3438

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By coating tank battery barge with an asphaltic material

oil company combats corrosive salt air

Not one case of breakdown of the mastic can be found any place in the surface of structure after two years of service

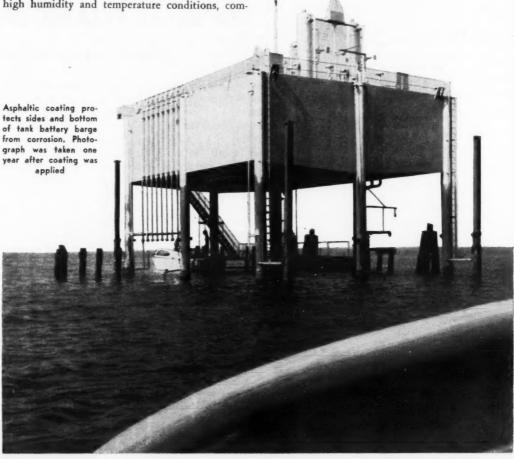
Problem: A large oil company had to protect tank battery barge shown in accompanying photographs from the effects of corrosive salt air. Tank battery barge is located in Corpus Christi Bay, 13 miles from Corpus Christi, Texas. Year around high humidity and temperature conditions, com-

bined with evaporation from the shallow bay (which increases the salt content of the air), make this area one of the most corrosive in the world.

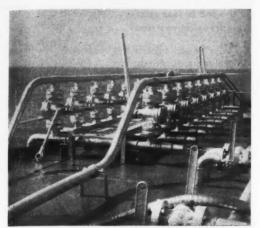
Tank battery barge, which is fabricated from regular steel sheets, stands in nine feet of water. Unit contains four 1000 bbl tanks, which receive oil from surrounding offshore wells. Oil can be handled from eight wells at once. Equipment on top of battery barge separates vapor from liquid. The latter is then stored in tanks below. When tanks are full, oil is transferred to a barge and taken to a refinery. Since a tank battery barge of this type is quite expensive to fabricate and install offshore, it is quite important to provide adequate protection for it.

Solution: In September of 1952, steel sides and bottom of the tank battery barge were coated with a heavy, homogeneous asphaltic material, known as Insul-Mastic No. 4010. Top of the barge and the legs were protected with a vinyl coating.

A large percentage of the asphalt in the No. 4010



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Tank battery barge can receive oil from eight offshore wells at once through these intake valves. Manifold was painted with a vinyl coating and then aluminum

coating is Gilsonite, which is more resistant to chemicals and moisture than other types of asphalt. This coating contains from 40 to 55% mineral fillers, the greater portion of which is mica, the most serviceable of the commonly used fillers.

Before applying asphaltic coating, structure was first sandblasted and given a base coat of zinc chromate, fast-drying primer. Primer was applied immediately after sandblasting to avoid exposure of the metal to the salt air for even a short period. Asphalt coating was applied to a thickness of ½" as soon as possible after primer. A finish coat of aluminum paint was sprayed on afterwards.

In using the asphaltic coating, it is quite important to apply it according to instructions available from the manufacturer if satisfactory results are to be obtained.

Results: Tank battery barge has been completely protected from the effects of the corrosive salt air during the two years since it was coated. Not one case of breakdown of the mastic can be found any place in the surface of the structure. It is expected that several more years of satisfactory service will be obtained before any extensive repainting will be necessary.

Since, after asphaltic coating is applied, it can be sprayed with selected types of aluminum paint, a favorable appearance is also achieved, as shown. Company furnishing asphaltic coating makes a special aluminum paint, which is compatible with mastic, preventing bleed-through.

(No. 4010 asphaltic coating is product of Insul-Mastic Corp. of America, Dept. CP, 1141 Oliver Building, Pittsburgh 22, Pa. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3440 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

A "cushioned" porcelain-to-porcelain seal in the Lapp Valve

The chemical resistance qualities of the Lapp Valve come from the fact that the body and plug are both solid porcelain. Porcelain, as a material, however, has little resiliency or "give" when the plug hits the seat in the body. Special spring-loaded "cushion" seating in Lapp valves prevents damage from a heavy-handed operator, and warns when seal is tight. Built into the thrust bushing of every Lapp Y-valve and angle valve, is an arrangement of tempered Beryllium copper spring washers. This spring loading also provides that a closed valve will maintain its tightness even under vibration and thermal movement of parts.



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Tube Selection Cannot be Reduced to a Formula

-even a complicated one

Selection of the proper grade of stainless steel for a particular application is a relatively complex problem and involves manufacturing, metallurgical, chemical and economic considerations. Although it is complex it has been made easier by industrial research. Data accumulated through years of research and experience gained in helping to solve varied application problems are now available to guide the user in the solution of his present problems.

It is practically impossible to list all the media in which stainless steels will resist corrosion. It is even more difficult to enumerate all the conditions under which the stainless steels will resist effectively the corrosive effects of such media. Frequently, a relatively minor contaminant, when combined with the main reagent, will cause a more detrimental corrosive action than the latter by itself. This is particularly true of iron salts which, in the presence of chlorides, often prove to be a very potent corrodent, producing pitting.

It is always advisable to test a sample under actual operating conditions, especially before extensive untried installations are made. Proper tube selection starts with expert opinion, available to you through Mr. Tubes, your nearby B&W Tube Representative. There is no substitute for the kind of experience with pressure tubing problems you'll find at B&W. Ask Mr. Tubes for help in matching tubes to jobs.

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CORROSION CONTROL

Light, compact heat exchangers do the job in less space, are corrosion-resistant . . .

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Uses: As heat exchangers for operation in corrosive media in industrial process heating.

Features: Units are available made of corrosion-resistant metals, Hastelloy B and C. Of more than 250 corrosive media tested, Hastelloy B was found fully resistant to 97 and satisfactorily resistant to 40 more. Hastelloy C was found fully resistant to 108 different media and satisfactorily resistant to 54 others.



Five heat transfer units (shown in tank) are supported by simple hanger arrangement and are easily removed

Corrosion-resistant assemblies can be obtained that weigh 50% less than equivalent pipe coils, and require only half the space.

Description: Corrosion-resistant Platecoil heat transfer units are made by embossing 16-gage alloy sheet. Two sheets are then joined by roller-seam welding. Coils are made in sizes up to 83" long and 22½" wide. An exchanger of this size has over 25 sq ft of heat transfer surface, equivalent to over 100' of ¾" pipe.

(Corrosion-resistant heat transfer units are products of Tranter Manufacturing, Inc., Dept. CP, 602 E. Hazel St., Lansing 4, Michigan . . . or for more information check CP 3443, pages 2 and 3.)

Corrosion-resistant coatings — uses, features, data

Uses, features, and application data on company's line of corrosion-resistant coatings are presented in 12-page bulletin.

Bulletin on Del protective coatings is available from David E. Long Corp., Dept. CP, 220 East 42nd St., New York 17, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 3444 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Wedges in steel gate valves resist corrosion, abrasion

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Gate valve applications where corrosives or abrasives are being handled.

Wedges of valves are made of 13% chrome stainless steel for corrosion resistance and are duracased to at least 1000 Brinell hardness to prevent galling and excessive wear caused by closure on abrasive particles in flow, Stem-to-wedge connection increases pull-out strength.

In union bonnet construction of Description: forged steel valves, a body-to-bonnet joint of malefemale type provides a recess for gasket, seating it accurately and securely, reducing possibility of leakage and blown gaskets.

(Forged steel gate valves are products of The Ohio Injector Co., Dept. CP, 103 Main St., Wadsworth, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3445 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



IS CORROSION LICKING YOU? Then, be sure to see . . .

the December issue of CP, which will feature the CORROSION CONTROL section. How other plants have licked their corrosion problems will be told in a variety of performance stories. Latest developments in materials and equipment will also be presented . . . plus a host of other topics . . . to complete this important featured section. Remember, it's in December. Don't miss it!!!

In keeping with our policy of "balanced editorial" issues, the other regular sections of CHEMICAL PROCESSING will appear as usual.

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While under pressure, valve stem repacked with Teflon . . .

> no packing needed for seat of polyvinyl chloride units

Uses: For applications in the chemical and allied industries in places where medium pressures and temperatures not exceeding 160°F are required.

Features: Polyvinyl chloride globe valves are designed so that the stem can be repacked with Teflon packing under full line



chloride valves for Polyvinyl corrosives

pressure. No packing is needed at the valve seat, however, and the disc is easily replaceable. Construction provides a high degree of corrosion resistance.

Description: Valves are made to fit pipe sizes of 1/2, 1, and 11/2" while maintaining full flow characteristics. One inch size has been repeatedly tested at 1500 psi and operates at a working pressure of 150 psi at room tempera-

(Polyvinyl chloride valves are manufactured by Stokes Molded Products, Inc., 240 Webster St., Trenton 4, N. J. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3447 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

For more information on product at left, specify CP 3448
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Aluminum paint gets the nod for widespread application at Gulf Oil refinery . . .

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an estimated 11,250,000 sq ft of plant surface are finished with the silvery coating

Corrosion and abrasion resistance, heat and light reflectivity, and bright metallic surface are qualities that have given aluminum paint precedence for widespread application at the Port Arthur, Texas refinery of Gulf Oil Corp. Currently, about eleven million square feet of surfaces at this plant are finish-coated with this silvery paint.

Durability of some applications is as high as eight years, and that of others as low as three years . . . depending on surface preparation and certain exposure conditions. Average durability on tank roofs is three to four years, on tank shells from four to six years, for a finish coat over clean primed surfaces, at a spreading rate of about 325 sq ft/gal.

Aluminum paints generally in use are oil based However, some high-heat aluminum silicones and vinyls have been tried on a small scale, but results are not conclusive. Economic advantages for alumi-



Butane storage tanks at Gulf Oil have finish coat of asphaltic vehicle aluminum paint, used for its compatibility with asphaltic mastic undercoat

num paint, as observed at Port Arthur are: ease of application, high spreading rates, excellent hiding of under surface, and long-term durability.

(Photo and information courtesy of aluminum pigment producer, Aluminum Company of America, Dept. CP, 1501 Alcoa Bldg., Pittsburgh 19, Pa. Check CP 3449 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Trying to cut corrosion costs? . . .

Your guide to corrosion-resistant products and materials is the handy Product Directory on pages 213 to 216. All subjects discussed in this issue of CHEM-ICAL PROCESSING are listed there.



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has indicated service life of several years

In a recent blower installation protection is provided from the acid fumes handled by a neoprene maintenance coating. Coating is expected to last for several years, eliminating corrosion and pitting on the fan and housing.

Coating is a one-solution product, no accelerator or primer being required. Each coat dries in two hours and gives a thickness of 5 to 10 mils. It will adhere firmly to metal, concrete, wood, plastic, glass and other surfaces. Coverage is 75 to 100 sq ft per gallon. Standard color is black but aluminum and other colors are available.

(Magic-Vulc Neoprene Maintenance Coating No. 245-B is product of Magic Chemical Co., Dept. CP, 121 Crescent St., Brockton 2, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 3451, pages 2 and 3.)

Heat, time, and pressure bond silver to other metals . . .

process gives hard, uniform finish as thin as .00001"

Uses: Corrosion-resistant applications, and where high conductivity, in conjunction with strength and rigidity of base metal, is required.

Features: Process involving heat, time, and pressure results in a flawless and permanent metallurgical bond in which the clad layer of silver is hard and dense. Cladding can be as thin as ten millionths of an inch (.00001").

Description: Clad metals are produced overlaid on one or both sides, in inlaid stripes and edge-clad. They are custom rolled in strip up to 4" wide, in total overall thicknesses down to .001" with overlay thicknesses down to .0001".

Selection of clad metals made

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Steel's corrosion resistance and cleanliness



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available by process includes: nonprecious to non-precious — example, phosphor bronze on copper; precious to non-precious example, silver on beryllium copper; and precious to precious example, palladium on silver.

(Clad metal process is a development of Industrial Division, American Silver Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 36-07 Prince St., Flushing 54, N.Y. Check CP 3452, pgs. 2 & 3.)

Introduce valves of PVC . . .

sizes range from 1/2 to 2"

To its Saunders diaphragm valve line, company has added units with bodies of polyvinyl chloride. Handwheel operated, lever operated, sliding stem, and air-operated mod-



els are available. Sizes range from ½ to 2". Screwed ends are standard and slip fits are available on special order.

(PVC diaphragm valves are products of Hills-McCanna Co., Dept. CP, 3025 N. Western Ave., Chicago 18, Ill. Check CP 3453 on handy form which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

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CORROSION CONTROL

One good way to introduce plastics in chemical plants is to use them for emergency repairs . . .

case histories of how they have solved problems illustrate the point

Experience has shown that one of the easiest and possibly best ways to introduce plastics into chemical plants is to use them as emergency maintenance materials. Information secured from these exposures is usually of more value than extensive laboratory tests. Case histories known to the author of this research paper illustrate the point.

In July 1952 a Type 17 chrome stainless steel storage tank used for storing 60% nitric acid failed. Since welding repairs were almost impossible to make in the field, entire tank was wrapped with a fiber glass polyester covering. Cost was only a fraction of that of a new stainless tank. Tank has been in service over 1½ years and is still in excellent condition. In another case this same plastic gave good service handling alum.

In another operation a self-supported glass fiber reinforced furane resin was unattacked in three years service handling gases containing sulfuric acid mist and considerable SO₂ and SO₃. A rigid vinyl duct system has given several years service handling a gas containing bromine at temperatures approaching the boiling point of water.

In another case it was necessary to find some material that would withstand 70% sulfuric acid solution at 150°F. Problem was solved by the use Saranlined steel pipe which has been in service over two years with no indication of trouble.

Author points out that one thing that is needed is a good non-destructive test for the physical properties of reinforced plastics.

(Condensed from technical paper, "Use of Plastics as Materials of Construction in the Chemical Industry," by S. W. Shepard, Chemical Construction Corp., Dept. CP, Linden, N. J. Paper was published in Corrosion, Vol 10, No. 7, 215-216 (1954) July.)

Common ailments of valve stems avoided by alloy

Company's line of bronze globe and angle valves incorporates a stem of special alloy that is inhibited against dezincification, corrosion, and other common stem ailments. Features of valves, which are described in bulletin, include seats and discs of cutlery grade stainless steel.

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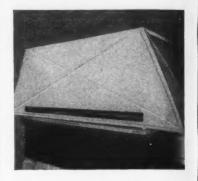
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The PLA-TANK Hood shown above has been in continuous use at General Electric's small aircraft engine department in West Lynn, Mass., for over a year. Reports indicate that it is still as good as when originally installed, is already credited with saving its entire cost since no previously used material had lasted over a year.

The tank is used for etching stainless steel billets; solutions used are aqua regia at room temperature and a 50% solution of muriatic acid at 180°F. PLA-TANK has successfully withstood these fumes, where other materials failed.

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(For further information on NFM polyethylene filter cloth contact The National Filter Media Corp., 1717 Dixwell Ave., New Haven 14, Conn. . . . or check CP 3458 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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(Acid hose is a product of Lee Rubber & Tire Corp., Republic Rubber Div., Dept. CP, Youngstown 1, Ohio . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3459 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

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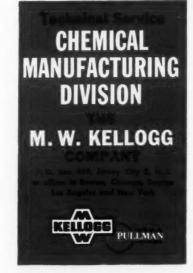
Using coatings and seals of KEL-F plastic to overcome corrosion, lightweight, small rupture discs of aluminum now provide protection for low pressure and vacuum vessels. Discs with bursting pressures ranging from 5 to 100 psig are now possible. Premature bursting due to corrosion has been eliminated. Discs are smaller and afford a greater degree of pressure control than previous types.

A lining of KEL-F plastic on the standard (right) and a film seal in the new "lug" type rupture disc (left) permit them to be used safely with practically all corrosive materials, at temperatures up to 250°F.

Black, Sivalls & Bryson, Inc., Kansas City, Mo. manufacturers of control equipment, pioneered this use of KEL-F plastic film.

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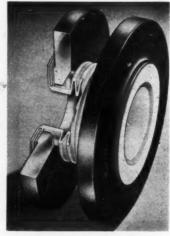
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Form of Teflon bellows gives greater strength, more flexibility . . .

products fit any pipe size from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 12"

Uses: Typical applications include vibration dampeners, expansion joints and connectors, metering pumps, pressure accumulators, batching scales, hydraulic systems, and others.

Features: Convolution form of bellows is said to give greater strength, longer life and increased flexibility. Since they retain formation at full free length, they are subjected to minimum residual and working strain. They expand and contract in either direction with equal freedom of motion.



Bellows flanges provide efficient sealing at low pressure

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(Teflon bellows are a product of Crane Packing Co., Dept. CPC, 1800 Cuyler Ave., Chicago 13, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3462, pages 2 and 3.)

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Economical improvement in cast irons for 1200-1300°F service provided by addition of 1-3% Ni and Cr . . .

when greater loads must be carried at 1200°F, high alloyed cast irons can be used

Recent laboratory tests show that in cases where load carrying capacity is of little importance, addition of 1 to 3% nickel and chromium offers an economical improvement in cast irons in service up to about 1200 or 1300°F. Hence, for a number of applications in moderately elevated temperature service, a satisfactory service life can be obtained at low relative cost.

Although gray chest irons are generally not required to carry appreciable loads at temperatures up to 1200° F, stress rupture data indicate that Ductile Iron, Ni-Resist, and Ductile Ni-Resist can carry appreciable loads. These data, together with the good oxidation resistance of these special cast irons, suggest a wider use of these metals in moderately high-temperature service.

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Until recently, cast irons for many applications have been compared principally on their comparative growth properties. In this investigation, it was found tests on the rate of oxidation of oxygen penetration rates evaluated the life expectancy more accurately.

(Condensed from technical paper, "Cast Irons in High Temperature Service," by Richard J. Greene and Frederick G. Sefing, The International Nickel Comany, Inc., Dept. CP, 67 Wall St., New York 5, N. Y. Paper was presented at the 1954 annual meeting of the National Association of Corrosion Engineers in Kansas City, Mo.)

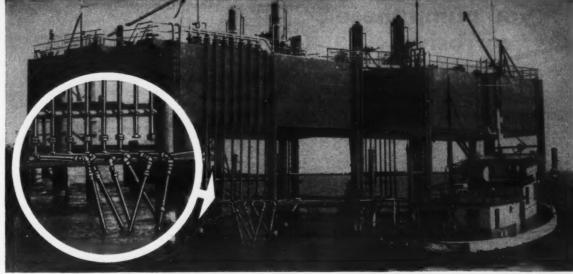
Chemical resistance of Teflon incorporated in filter cloth with controlled pore size

Uses: Filtering operations involving low or high temperatures, or corrosive materials.

Features: Corrosion and high-temperature resistance of Teflon is engineered into fabric with controlled pore size. Tensile strength of material is said to be twenty times that of solid Teflon. Low coefficient of friction, high water repellency, and small affinity for adhesives of all fibrous materials results in cake removal regardless of material filtered.

Description: Woven Teflon filter cloth, designated CPS (controlled pore size), is available in two grades: the finer for removal of particles 25 microns and over, and the coarser for particles 40 microns and over. Lower service temperature limit is -100°F, upper limit is 400 to 525°F.

(Teflon filter cloth is a product of Porous Plastic Filter Co., Dept. CP, 30 Sea Cliff Ave., Glen Cove, N.Y. . . . Check CP 3464, pages 2 and 3.)



Chiksan swivel joints are used on the 12 underwater lines on this portable submersible tank battery barge which stores oil from 12 wells. Three swivel joints are used on each line to provide necessary flexibility and safety against storms, wind and waves. Visible in this photograph are style 50 Chiksan joints. Style 10 and style 50 joints are below the surface.

Each submersible tank battery has a 6" or 8" CHIKSAN aluminum Marine and loading of oil to the barges.



After 3 years of under-water service this CHIKSAN Marine Swivel Joint has been raised from 14 feet of water 13 miles from shore to service the packing



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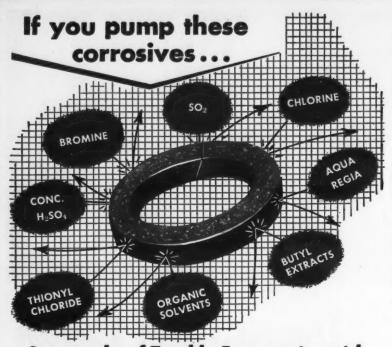
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Cites typical advantages of ceramic coatings

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Bulletin on ceramic coatings and porcelain enamels is available from General Ceramics Corporation, Dept. CP, 25 Crow's Mill Rd., Keasbey, N. J. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3467 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Mirror-smooth surfaces, die-formed impeller up pump efficiency . . .

> centrifugal unit is made of Type 316 stainless

Uses: Pumping corrosives or liquids containing solids.

Features: Made of mirror smooth Type 316 stainless steel with theoretically correct vane and shroud dimensions and curvatures, units operate at high efficiency levels. For example, a 3/4 hp model delivers 4260 gph at moderate pressures, and low heads.

Impeller of unit is die-formed rather than cast and mirror finish reduces friction and turbulence to a minimum. Cost of heavy-duty pumps is said to be in the price class of cast iron and bronze.



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(Stainless steel centrifugal pumps described in above story are products of Department HC, Heinicke Instruments, Department CP, 2035 Harding Street, Hollywood, Florida ... or for more information reader may simply check CP 3469 on the convenient Reader Service slip located between pages 2 and 3.)

Corrosion inhibitors aid heat transfer

Film forming corrosion inhibitors which also aid heat transfer are the subject of technical paper. It contains many references to protection afforded by filming amines and attendant reduction in maintenance costs secured through protection against corrosion.

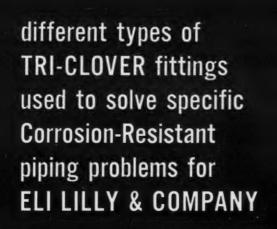
Filming amines function by forming a non-wettable film over metal surfaces contacted. Film acts as a barrier between metal and condensate, and since metal does not become wetted, corrosion is prevented even in presence of condensate containing large amounts of carbon dioxide and oxygen.

Case histories of typical applications of filming amines are cited in literature.

Technical Paper No. 129 is available from W. H. & L. D. Betz, Dept. CP, Gillingham & Worth Sts., Philadelphia 24, Pa. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3470 on convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.

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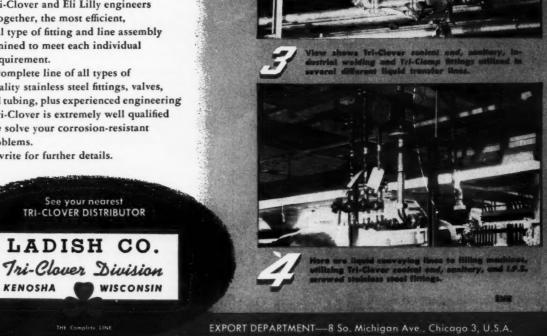


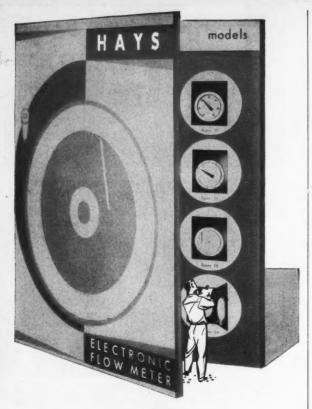
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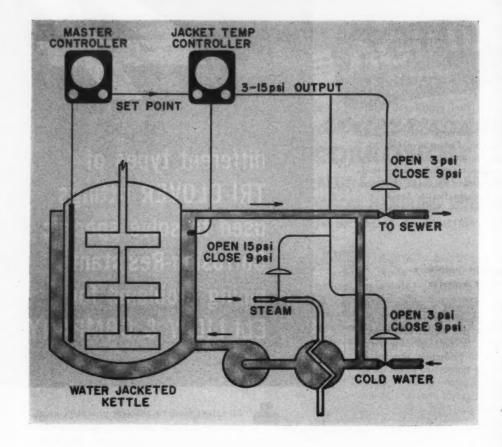
Other features include powerful motor, easy readability, accuracy unaffected by normal temperature changes, optional explosion and weather-proof transmitter.

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Cascade control without reset can

hold polymerizer temperature steady

Measurement of batch temperature controls setpoint for jacket temperature; cold water and steam are fed to jacket. Net result: only 2°C overshoot when polymerization goes exothermic

Since polymerization requires heat to get started, then becomes exothermic, its control is often problematical. Because of this changeable nature, the reaction was originally started up manually. Reset action controllers were tried, but because velocity of the polymerization reaction increases greatly with a small temperature rise above the setpoint, reset controllers are unsatisfactory during automatic startup. Overshoot nearly always occurred and reaction ran

away and became uncontrollable in the process. Several installations of cascade control have been

several installations of cascade control have been made in this process. General scheme is shown in the diagram. Master controller of the cascaded control system is a recording temperature-program controller. A transparent plastic cam mounted over chart is rotated by chart shaft drive. Temperature sensing element for the master controller is a long (108") tube which measures temperature of the batch from top to bottom.

Output air from the master controller changes setpoint of the jacket temperature controller. This is a direct acting proportional controller.

Output air from the jacket temperature controller positions three control valves. Steam control valve is normally closed (air-to-open) type which fails safe by shutting off steam if there is an air failure. Cold valv

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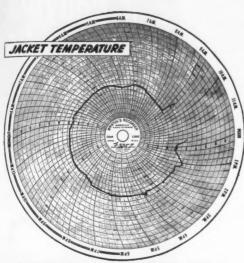
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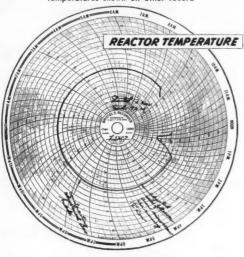
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Jacket temperatures were recorded by the jacket temperature controller and resulted in smooth reactor temperatures shown on other record



water valve and outlet valves are normally open valves which close when control pressure reaches 9 psi. Steam valve closes at 9 psi and runs wide open at 15 psi.

In starting up, reverse-acting controller produces 15 psi output, opening steam valve to supply heat to the exchanger. Open water supply and outlet valves are closed so that water in the jacket is recirculated by pump.

Passage of steam through heat exchanger brings operating temperature of the jacket up to setpoint. "Autoset" range (span through which setpoint can be automatically positioned) of the jacket temperature controller is manually adjusted with limits of 40 and 110°C. As water jacket approaches 110°C, output of the water jacket temperature controller falls.

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When it reaches 9 psi, steam valve closes completely and water inlet and outlet valves begin to open. Cold water is now introduced and part of heated water of the jacket is drained off.

As can be seen in control charts, (at about 1:00 PM) temperature of batch in the reactor has reached its setpoint of 95°C. At this point output of the master controller brings jacket temperature controller setpoint down from upper limit and control action begins to reduce jacket temperature rapidly.

This is the period in which polymerization is entering the exothermic stage. Function of the jacket now becomes that of cooling the reactor.

Because of this sudden change from supplying heat to cooling, derivative action of the master controller becomes very effective. Note that reactants were brought from a temperature of 50 to 95°C in about 90 minutes. Despite this steep temperature rise, and the tendency of polymeric reactions to run away, temperature overshoot was less than 2 degrees.

(Design of this control system and the Autoset Temperature Controller were engineered by the Bristol Company, Dept. CP, 143 Bristol Rd., Waterbury 20, Connecticut . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3475 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Accurately measure pressures in field or lab work with balance . . .

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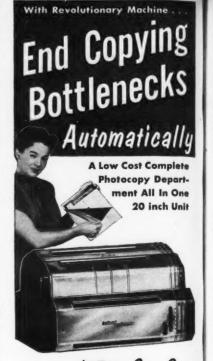
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Features: Visual digital readout counter with digits to 1000 makes immediate readings possible. Instrument is so designed that readings may be held when required or attached to electrical tabulating devices through built-in electrical analog DC output of 10 volts.

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be used with various ranges of pressure sensing pickups. Cable (10' long) enables readings to be taken remotely from amplifier.

(Type 37-103 Pressure Balances are a product of Consolidated Engineering Corp., Dept. CP, 300 N. Sierra Madre Villa, Pasadena 8, Calif. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3477 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

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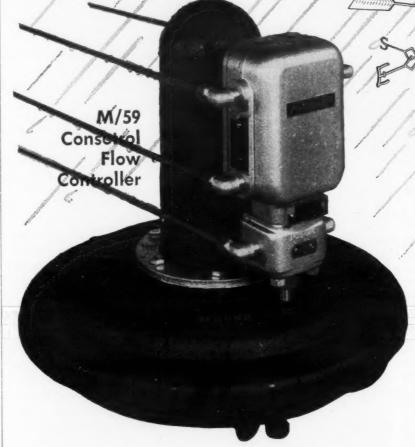
Instrument helps crude oil purchasers avoid paying for sediment and water by accurately determining amount of bottom sediment and water present in raw crude. This running check in line, is expected to help eliminate tankage now used to check crude purity.

(Capacitance Recorder will be manufactured under license from Gulf, by Instruments, Inc., Department CP, 122 North Madison, Tulsa 6, Oklahoma . . . or for more information about this product reader may simply check CP 3478 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)

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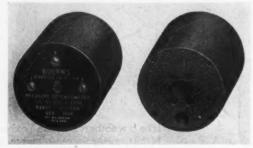
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Durable pressure transmitter withstands extreme shock and vibrations . . .

unit provides accuracy to within $\pm 1\%$ under 50 g linear acceleration

Uses: For measuring altitude, fuel pressure, throat and static pressure in aircraft, missile, and industrial applications.

Features: Rugged potentiometer withstands 50 g longitudinal acceleration with error of less than 1%. Electrical output of 0.5 w requires no am-



Units weigh 7 oz and are 2 1/4" diameter by 2 3/8" long

plification and may be fed directly into telemetering transmitters, recorders, etc.

Description: Performance characteristics include resolution of 0.25 to 0.50% for resistances from 1000 to 10,000 ohms. Optimum linearity and repeatability with minimum hysteresis and temperature error result from beryllium copper diaphragm bellows.

Units weigh 7 oz and are 2½" diameter by 2½" long. Power rating is 0.5 w at 160°F. Typical pressure ranges: 0-2; 0-4; 0-8; 0-11; 0-15; 0-20; 0-30; 5-10 and 3-14.7 psia. Standard resistance values of 1000, 2000, 5000 and 10,000 ohms are provided. (Mod 408 Absolute Pressure Potentiometers are a product of Bourns Laboratories, Dept. CP, 6135 Magnolia Ave., Riverside, Calif. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3480 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Describes, pictures microscope for fiber inspection

Illustrated bulletin describes unit which gives magnifications from 75 to 500X and projects image on 8" ground glass screen. Apparatus is designed specifically for inspection of surface structure and surface quality of textile fibers.

Bul on "Fibroscope" is issued by William J. Hacker & Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 82 Beaver St., New York 5, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 3481 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

in selecting a Pneumatic Controller

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Versatility

The variety of control types available in the basic instrument may reduce initial investment and subsequent cost of instrumenting process changes. For example, the basic instrument may be used without modification for proportional control, differential-gap control, on-off control and pneumatic transmission; with substitution of one unit subassembly, for proportional-reset control; and, with addition of the appropriate unit subassembly, for pneumatic-set, time-program or differential control.

Simplicity

Minimizing linkage and use of simplified air circuits and unit subassemblies eliminates inherent trouble spots and lost motion, improves sensitivity and operation, facilitates servicing, adjustment and start-up. Ease of adjustment, setting and reversibility of control action assists operator in tuning in.

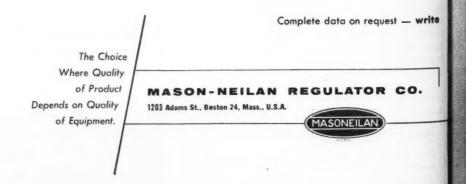
Economy

Low initial investment and minimum changeover costs are basic economies. Additional savings are made possible through minimum service requirements and the ease and speed of maintenance, because of simplicity of design.

Dependability

Where complications are "designed out" dependability is built in. An excellent performance record in a wide variety of applications attests the soundness of the design.

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Wind's force and direction measured electrically with SR-4 . . .

gives instaneous response to sudden changes

For electrically measuring wind's force and direction.

Features: Lightweight 2-inch diameter hollow metal ball provides instantaneous response to sudden changes or shock waves.

Description: Pick-up unit is essentially a cylindrical cantilever beam on which there are two independent Wheatstone bridge circuits. These consist of resistance wire strains gages arranged to



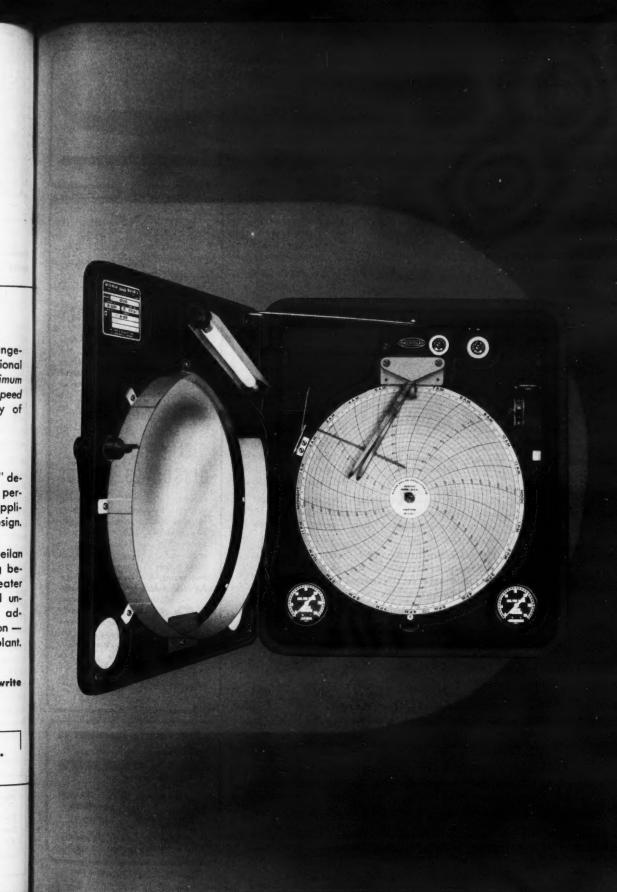
Gives instant response to sudden wind changes or shock waves

measure the strains caused by wind forces in two directions at right angle to each other.

Combination of these bending strains provides a means of indicating both magnitude and direction of air flow by means of simple electronic amplifier circuits and indicating and recording instruments.

(SR-4 Wind Sensing Unit is a product of the Baldwin-Lima-Hamilton Corp., Dept. CP, 940 Simpson St., Eddystone 42, Pa. Check CP 3482, pages 2 and 3.)

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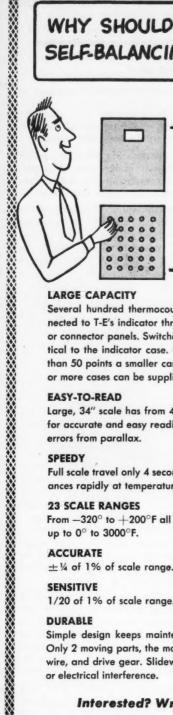
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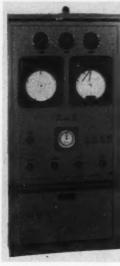
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INSTRUMENTATION

Controls temperature rate-of-rise and holding period temps during process . . .

> controller has uses in dyeing, starch sizing, and other time-temperature operations



Controller is mounted on right in package dyeing control cabinet

Fully-automatic control of temperature rate-of-rise and temperature holding period, with provisions for duplication of runs, can be obtained with cycle controller now on market. Unit is finding wide use in dyeing processes, starch sizing, and similar chemical operations.

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Internal heater in instrument prevents corrosion of working parts due to condensation or corrosive vapors. Instrument has continuous chart rotation, providing 24 hour records.

(Model 40 C-H CycleLog Controller is a product of The Foxboro Co., Dept. CP, 174 Neponset Ave., Foxboro, Mass. Check CP 3485, pages 2 and 3.)

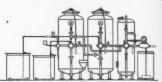
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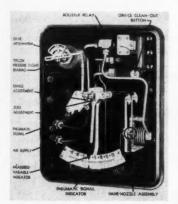
Transmits air signal as far as 1000 ft to receiver . . .

> unit measures flow, level, temperature or pressure

As a primary element in pneumatic telemetering and control systems, unit transmits measurements of flow, level, pressure, temperature, draft, differential, and vacuum.

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Description: Measuring element actuates transmitter's microsensitive vane, nozzle, and booster assembly. Transmitted signals of 3-15 and 3-27 psig operate pneumatic receivers or controllers.



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Transmits signals of 3-15 or 3-27 psig to actuate pneumatic receivers or controllers

Both measured variable and pneumatic signal are indicated on common scale for easy checking. Unit transmits signal up to 1000 ft to receiver or 400 ft to controllers. Capacity is approximately 3 cfm with drop of 1 psig from 15 psig signal.

(Universal Pneumatic Transmitter is a product of Bailey Meter Co., Dept. CP, 1050 Ivanhoe Rd., Cleveland 10, Ohio. Check CP 3487, pages 2 and 3.)

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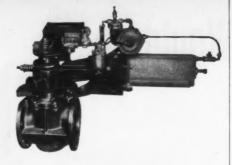


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Uses compressed air to signal right or left corrections of paper web edge . . .

detects alignment changes down to 0.0001 inch

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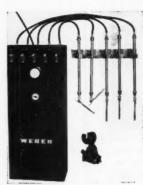
Uses: To remotely control the alignment of unruly paper webs in multi-wall tuber, laminating, corrugating, and other paper converting operations.

Features: Remote control edge alignment system uses low pressure air jet to sense alignment changes as small as 0.0001 inch with fast response speed (0.2 sec). Sensing device can be located as far away as 100 ft from control cabinet.

Description: Web edge sensing device operates from metered and controlled flow of air admitted to a closed air circuit. Circuit dead ends against two diaphragm pressure switches and escapes through sensing nozzle. Pressure switches are sensitive to pressures as low as $\frac{1}{4}$ " of water. For web edge detecting, one switch is set to operate at $\frac{1}{2}$ " water and the other is set for $\frac{3}{4}$ ". First pressure switch ($\frac{1}{2}$ ") is normally closed; other is normally open.

When air jet from sensing nozzle is undisturbed by web edge, back pressure is less than

1/3" and normally closed switch remains closed, energizing roll stand adjustment motor. Motor continues to move roll stand until web edge disturbs air jet, causing back pressure of more than 1/3" but less than 3/4" (web in neutral position splitting air jet). At this stage, both switches are open. When web drifts across jet, back pressure then exceeds



Unit controls five unwinding roll stands, making right and left alignment corrections

3/4" of water. Switch closes energizing motor in reverse until web has been taken back to neutral position, splitting air jet.

As sensing device calls for correction to right or left, it transmits corresponding electrical signal to electronic timer through web "run-in" switch. If the "run-in" (footage measuring) switch has not accepted the previous signal and made the resulting correction, it refuses signal until previous signal has "run-in". If the previous signal and correction does not bring web back to neutral, additional signal from sensing device is accepted and its correction made.

Electronic timer, upon receiving signal from web

edge sensing device as allowed by "run-in" switch, energizes roll unwind stand alignment motor for given time interval. Motor shifts roll stand to right or left.

Electronic timer is adjustable from 0 to 5 seconds to permit edge alignment steps to be controlled to any desired increments. For example, ½ second edge alignment motor running time may equal 1/16" edge alignment steps; 1 second running time equals 3/16 inch, etc. In case of badly telescoped roll, operator may change electronic timer setting to allow adjustment increments of ½ inch or 3/16 inch to assure that rate of correction will exceed rate of run out on roll.

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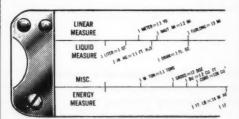
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Number of webs and unwind stands which can be controlled by electronic remote control edge alignment unit is unlimited. Units can be manufactured to accept any number of sensing nozzles.

(Electronic remote control edge alignment units are products of H. G. Weber & Co., Inc., Dept. CP, Kiel, Wisconsin . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3491 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



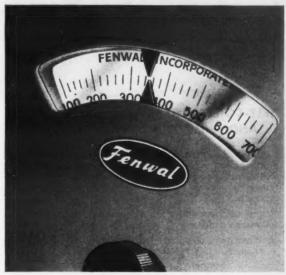
Conversion slide rule makes reference to tables of equivalents unnecessary. With single setting, rule automatically makes conversions without computation. Rule has 64 linear, liquid, energy, and other factors on one side plus complete trig scale (A,K, DF-CF, T, S, CI, C-D, and L scales) on reverse.

Mod 903-T single-setting conversion rule is a product of Pickett & Eckel, Inc., Dept. CP, 1109 S. Fremont St., Alhambra, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 3492 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Now . . . a new Temperature Indicator-Controller by Fenwal



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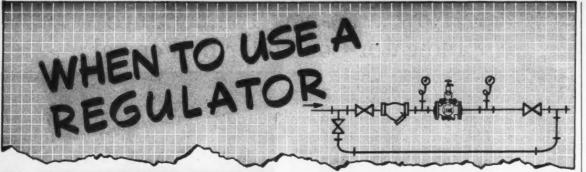


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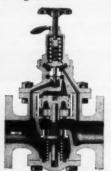


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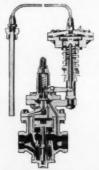


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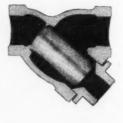
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INSTRUMENTATION

Analyzes hydrocarbon waxes and other compounds in high mass range

Hydrocarbon waxes and other compounds in the high mass ranges are broken down by recently introduced mass spectrometer. Model doubles range of complete resolution between adjacent peaks by increasing readings to mass 350.

Optional collection systems make possible use of either a 30 mil slit with metastable ion suppressor,



General view of mass spectrometer showing (I to r) inlet cabinet, magnet system and control cabinet

or dual slit arrangement with 30 mil and 7 mil slit without the ion suppressor. Thirty mil slit is used in general range to mass 150, while 7 mil slit is used for higher mass ranges to 700.

Heated inlet system increases scope of the spectrometer by making possible introduction of substances with vapor pressures too low to be analyzed at room temperatures. Installation of heated inlet system can be made in a short time. Attachment fits around the standard inlet system where samples to be analyzed are introduced.

(Model 21-103C is a product of the Consolidated Engineering Corp., Dept. CP, 300 N. Sierra Madre Villa, Pasadena 8, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 3495 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Gives continuous automatic indication of pH and redox in processing, with laboratory accuracy . . .

> indicator is line operated but is not affected by usual fluctuations of AC voltage

For continuous automatic measurement of pH and oxidation-reduction potential in chemical processing.

Features: Meter, pilot light, and all controls are mounted on face of the chassis, readily accessible inside door of die-cast aluminum case. Case is completely moisture- and splash-proof and un-

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affected by corrosive fumes or periodic process washdowns. De-humidifiers are unnecessary inside case. Chassis can be removed by merely disconnecting three plugs.

Description: Panel instrument indicates continuously on 6 inch vertical meter, calibrated for readings in both pH and millivolts (for redox measurements.) Spaded pointer and large numerals make it easy to read from a distance.

Operational features of the indicator are: Ranges — 0 to 14 pH in 0.1 divisions. For measuring redox potentials, 0 to 700 mv in 5 mv divisions, and 0 to 1400 mv in 10 mv divisions.

Accuracy - 0.02 pH.

Temperature Compensation — Manual compensation by 0 to 100°C calibrated dial. Automatic by use of compensator in electrode assembly. Selection of manual or automatic compensation is governed by toggle switch on face of chassis.

Power Supply — 115 volt, 50 to 60 cycles. 230 volts, 50 to 60 cycles

(Automatic pH indicator is a product of the Leeds & Northrup Co., Dept. CP, 4901 Stenton Ave., Philadelphia 44, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3496 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Rotatable dial case permits thermometer readings from any position

Mercury-actuated dial thermometer has 3½" diameter dial face. Dial case can be rotated to any readable position. Instrument uses direct drive bourdon coil — no sector, pinion or linkage. Stem is ½" diameter with stainless steel bulb. Stem lengths are 4, 6, 8 and 12". Separable sockets, union connections and flanged union fittings are available.

(Thermometer No. 35-S is a product of Palmer Thermometers, Inc., Dept. CP, 2505 Norwood Ave., Cincinnati 12, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3497, pages 2 and 3.)

Explains centralized controls for filter backwashing

Illustrated, four-page bulletin explains automatic central filter control system for backwashing rapid sand water filters. Control system signals need for filter backwashing in accordance with loss-of-head conditions. Backwash cycle is then initiated and carried out, and filters returned to operation automatically.

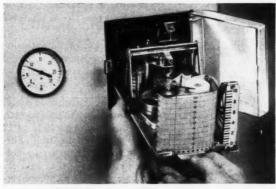
Bul 480-L1 is issued by Builders-Providence, Inc., Div. of B-I-F Industries, 345 Harris Ave., Providence 1, R.I. When inquiring specify CP 3498 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

You can replace your Metagraphic indicator with a recorder— in less than 10 seconds . . . with no pressure loss

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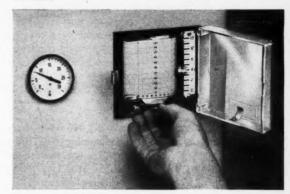
TIME — **00:00** Open case door, twist retaining latch securing indicator chassis to case. (Note pressure gage reading.)



TIME — 00:05 Slide the Metagraphic recorder chassis into the case. All plug-in connections are made automatically. (Now note that the pressure gage still reads the same.)



TIME — 00:02 Pull out indicator chassis. Connections are automatically sealed off. Valve-top pressure stays constant.



TIME — 00:08 Push recorder all the way in, fasten latch. Changeover is complete, with no pressure loss, no disturbance of control. In fact, you don't even have to go off automatic control.

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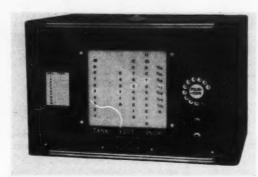
INSTRUMENTATION

Transmitted electrical pulses indicate liquid levels at tank farms . . .

telemetering system gives readings to nearest 1/8 inch over unlimited distances

Uses: Designed specifically for telemetering liquid level in petroleum storage tanks and remote control for pumps, valves, and other operating equipment. System may be adapted to other telemetering problems and remote supervisory control applications.

Features: Telemetering system operates over any communication link — metallic pair, single wire and ground, or any carrier system operated over telephone lines or microwave. Amplitude,



Dial on pulse code receiver selects tank to be metered

phase, frequency, or polarity do not effect intelligence. Line resistance, voltage fluctuations, frequency shift and circuit mismatch have no effect on signal within wide variations.

Description: Pulse code system uses arrangement of dots and dashes for each eighth inch increment of liquid level (0 to 59'11\%''). Each code group is an entity in itself. For this reason, receiver can detect whether or not complete signal has been received. Loss or gain of any part of code produces a signal which receiver rejects, thus no reading appears.

Output of system is in digital form. Output signal may be fed into computers, printing systems, warning and supervisory systems, without use of auxiliary conversion equipment. Automatic sequencing can be added to provide automatic gaging system.

Receiver contains light indicator panel for showing tank number and foot and inch reading, translating relay network for decoding incoming information and tank selection dial.

Transmitter, located at storage tank, is a mechanical position transducer. Input to transmitter is mechanical displacement in form of shaft rotation provided by float-operated gage. As float rises with liquid level, perforated steel tape attached to float transmits motion to sprocket sheave, providing

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shaft rotation proportional to liquid level. Transmitter input shaft is connected through gearing to two code discs, one for foot increments and the other for inch increments.

(Varec Pulse Code Telemetering System is a product of Vapor Recovery Systems Co., Dept. CP, 2820 N. Almeda St., Compton, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 3502 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Shows thickness of materials on 21" oscillographic screen to accuracy of 0.1% ...

uses continuous ultrasonic waves generated by small piezoelectric transducer



Position of vertical line of calibrated scale indicates thickness of material being

Uses: For nondestructive measurements of thickness and detection of laminar flaws in metals, glass, rigid plastics, and similar materials.

Features: Thickness is read as horizontal sweep on screen which accommodates scales 17" long. Screen may be separated from oscillator assembly by as much as 100 feet without affecting readings.

Description: Sweepwidth adjustment

permits choice of thickness scales. Instrument reads directly thicknesses from 0.012 to 2.5" with accuracies as high as 0.1%. Frequency calibration allows calculation of thicknesses up to 10".

(Vidigage is a product of Branson Instruments, Inc., Dept. CP, 434 Fairfield Ave., Stamford, Conn. . . . or check CP 3503, pages 2 and 3.)

Gives details and specifications on float position transmitter

Illustrated four-page bulletin gives operating details and data on force-balance rotameter float position transmitter. Typical applications are shown by drawings.

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INSTRUMENTATION

Output as low as 0.2 ma trips contacts of relay . . .

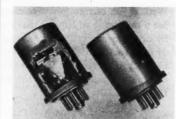
> plug-in unit uses armature balanced on jewel bearing

Uses: Designed to work from output of thermocouple or signals up to 10 amp and 500 volts. Unit finds use as temperature alarm or correction switch, overload protector on voltage regulated power supplies, or switch working from output of photoelectric cell or similar low output device.

Features: Speed of response varies from maximum of 50 contacts per second to 5 second time delay with 1% accuracy.

Description: Relay has permanent magnet balanced armature and is internally shock-mounted. Unit will operate over signal range from 0.2 ma to 10 amp or 0.1 mv to 500v. Higher voltage or amperage signals may be used with external multipliers.

Accuracy of relay is 1% for trip point, differential, less than 1%, and repeatability better than 1%. Contact ratings are 5 to 25 ma DC but may be supplied as high as 0.5 amp. Contacts are SPST (single make, either high or low limit) or SPDT (both high and



Relays are sensitive to signals as low as 0.2 ma

low limits). Units weigh 4 oz and are 13/4" diameter by 21/4" long. Standard mounting and connection is 9 pin octal plug.

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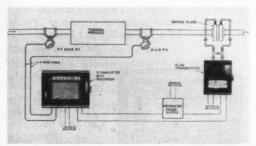
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senses flow rate and temperature differential

Uses: For measuring and recording quantity of heat supplied to or drawn from process vessels, heat exchangers, refrigerating plants, etc.

Features: Instrument measures temperature difference with two resistance thermometer bulbs and receives flow-rate from flow transmitter. From



Schematic diagram of control system

two variables, instrument continuously computes and records Btu product.

Description: Totalizer can be furnished with recorder to integrate energy or heat-transfer. Other systems are available that record temperature difference and Btu on a round or strip chart or 2) record flow-rate, Btu, and temperature difference.

(Dynamaster recorders are products of Bristol Co., Dept. CP, 143 Bristol Rd., Waterbury 20, Conn. . . . or check CP 3511, pages 2 and 3.)

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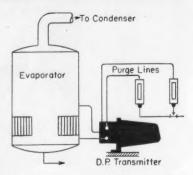
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Solution: Dual taps provide for complete flushing of the 333RD body as well as the lead lines.

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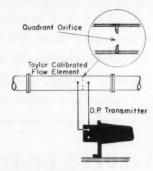
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Call your Taylor Field Engineer for details, or write for Bulletin 98097. Taylor Instrument Companies, Rochester, N. Y., or Toronto, Canada.

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HIGH ACCURACY WITH VARYING VISCOSITIES

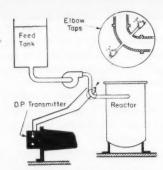


Problem: To get a high order of accuracy in measuring viscous fluids without special calibration curves and frequent changes in calibration due to troublesome variations in viscosity.

Solution: Its low volumetric displacement makes the 333RD transmitter ideally suited to capitalize on the improvements made possible by the recently developed European type quadrant orifice.

Result: Uninterrupted, accurate performance under difficult and variable viscosity conditions.

REVERSING FLOWS AND VARYING VISCOSITY



Problem: Flow control when there are changes in direction of flow and restrictions in the line are not desirable. Solution: The use of the 333RD transmitter with Elbow Taps, as primary elements. Since there's a tendency to cavitation at the inside tap, the low volumetric displacement of the 333RD makes it particularly suitable.

Result: Accurate measurement, and consequently control, under very difficult conditions.

INSTRUMENTATION

Automatically shuts off fuel input and sounds alarm if temperature exceeds set point . . .

instrument is fail-safe, shuts off fuel supply in case of thermocouple failure

Uses: Preventing overshooting of critical temperatures in processes or equipment.

Thermocouple break protection automatically shuts off fuel input in case of thermocouple failure or broken connections.

Description: Limitrol controllers are available in two models. Model 711 has two-position SPDT switch with contact ratings of 10 amp at 115v AC or 5 amp at 230v AC. Model 714 has heavy-duty

> SPST switch with plunger mercury contactor. Contact ratings on Model 714 are 30 amp at 115v AC or 20 amp at 230v AC.

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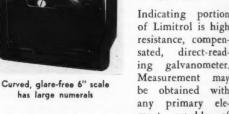
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Indicating portion of Limitrol is high resistance, compensated, direct-reading galvanometer. Measurement may be obtained with any primary element capable of



producing electrical signal such as thermocouples or radiation detectors. When resistance elements are used, necessary standardizing bridge assembly is provided as accessory.

Dimensions of controller are 9 5/16" high by 9 5/16" deep by 9 1/16" wide. Scale ranges are available up to 3600°F or 2000°C.

(Mod 711 and 714 Limitrol controllers are products of Wheelco Instruments Div., Barber-Colman Co., 1300 Rock St., Rockford, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3514, pages 2 and 3.)

Gives specifications, data on pneumatic controllers

Illustrated 12-page catalog presents specifications on stack-type pneumatic controllers. Cutaway construction photos, schematic diagrams and dimension drawings are used to explain controllers response actions. Catalog gives complete details on case-mounted, field-mounted, and valve-mounted control instruments.

Cat 53-10 is issued by Fischer & Porter Co., Dept. CP, 148 Jacksonville Road, Hatboro, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 3515, pages 2 and 3.

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Gives standards for air pressures in controller systems

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Bulletin of four pages outlines tentative standard on air pressures for pneumatic controllers and transmission systems. Standard has been approved by Recorder-Controller Section of Scientific Apparatus Makers Association.

Air Pressure Standard is issued by Recorder-Controller Section of Scientific Apparatus Makers Association, 522 5th Avenue, New York 36, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 3516 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Capacitive sensing element uses no floats, moving parts to show liquid levels . . .

unit operates over range of 500 to -425° F and from high vacuum to 100,000 psi

Uses: For continuous indication of liquid levels over wide range of materials such as non-adhesive chemicals, milk, oils, refrigerants (NH₃ and Freon), and all condensed gases.

Probe lengths are available to cover ranges in level change and characteristics of indicated mediums

Features: Unit uses capacitive sensing element probe with no floating or moving parts or contact-making electrodes.

Description: Various probe lengths, materials, and designs are available to cover ranges in level change and characteristics of indicated medium. Standard instruments provide for 10-foot separation between probe and equipment housing. Unit can be adapted to telemetering with additional equipment. Instrument operates over temperature range of

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costly, non-sagging, multiple-helix. Carefully aged

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range for long periods, it assures better accuracy,

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Water-bed conveyor replaces block method at Columbian Carbon Co. in . . .

cooling and solidifying molten sulfur

Sulfur produced in ready-to-ship form — no further processing necessary

H. E. MEANS
Superintendent, Gasoline Plants
Columbian Carbon Company
with R. J. CALLAHAN, Assistant Editor

accumulating sulfur moved up four inches daily.

This block method not only required expensive drilling and blasting operations but fines were lost in blasting as well. When additional resizing was necessary to meet buyers' specifications, loss of fines became excessive.

Solution: In March, 1954, a continuous belt cooler (stainless steel conveyor) was installed. Although similar equipment had been used in Europe, this was the first one used for cooling and

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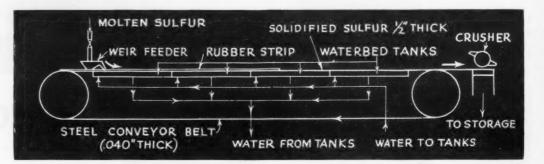
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Problem: Cooling and solidification of molten sulfur was formerly a slow non-continuous process at the sulfur recovery plant of Columbian Carbon Co., Seminole, Texas.

Eight 7" channel irons were set in the ground vertically to a height of 15 ft forming an enclosure 30 ft square. Channel irons were slotted at intervals to accommodate 2 x ½" bolts. Seven inch horizontal channel irons were raised progressively and bolted in place for a retaining form as the

solidification of molten sulfur in the US.

Molten sulfur recovered from acid gas resulting from a natural gas desulfurization process is poured directly on the steel belt from a weir distributor. Moving towards a crusher, the material is cooled by circulating water in open tanks over which the steel belt "floats".

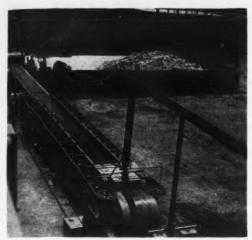
Belt is 32" wide and .040" thick. Capacity is 2800 lb per hr or 30 long tons per day. Belt speed is 2 to 8 ft per minute. Drive for belt and flaker is



Molten sulfur is fed to steel conveyor from weir distributor. Squeegee arrangement not visible prevents sulfur from flowing back



Rubber side shirts retain molten sulfur on belt untilf I it solidifies. Belt carries material to crusher where it is broken into 8 x 6" pieces



Black insulated line overhead carries molten sulfur from natural gas desulfurization process to water-bed conveyor. Black and channel iron construction are shown in upper right background

furnished by two ¾ hp motors. Conveyor is 52 ft long, center to center.

Initial material temperature is 275 to 290°F and initial water supply is 85°F. Required total water flow is 60 gpm. Density of material is 113 lb per cu ft and thickness of material deposit approximately ½ inch.

Rubber side skirts form a dam to retain molten sulfur on belt up to point where it is cooled past liquid state. Sulfur does not adhere to the belt itself but the rubber side strips need to be moistened by steam. Since conveyor moves at such low speed there is a tendency for the sulfur to flow back at the loading end. This is overcome by having a squeegee arrangement on weir feeder.

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Operator uses tractor shovel to move sulfur from flaker to back of storage pad. Overhead line is steam jacketed sulfur line to block storage

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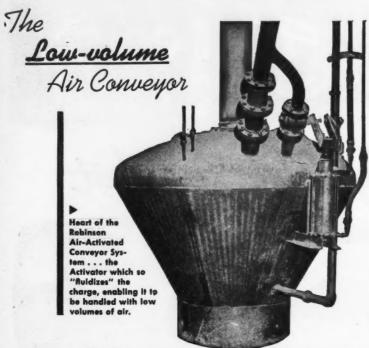
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The strip of solidified sulfur enters a flaker at end of conveyor belt where it is broken into pieces approximately 8 x 6 inches. It drops into a 50 x 50 ft reinforced concrete storage pad which has 48" high, 4" thick retaining walls. It is then handled by a tractor shovel.

Results: Besides the obvious advantage of having a continuous operation for cooling and solidifying the sulfur, there has been a substantial reduction in loss of fines. Also a more flexible arrangement for shipping the finished product is possible. While formerly shipments were sporadic due to relatively long periods required to accumulate a block of any consequence, the water-bed conveyor delivers the sulfur in shipping form — no reprocessing is necessary. Now box cars can be loaded as soon as there is sufficient product available. There have been no maintenance problems to date.

(Conveyor is a development of Sandvik Steel, Inc., Dept. CP, 111 8th Ave., New York 11, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3522 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

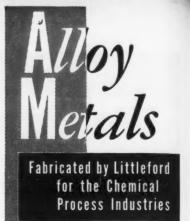
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Synthetic rubber and fabric containers of 500 and 2500 gal capacity provide way of handling bulk shipment of granular and powdery material. Containers can be collapsed after emptying for return and re-use. They are being used for shipments of polyethylene and polyvinyl chloride at present. They are

being tested for bulk shipment of carbon black, starch, clay, flour, sugar, malt, granular reclaim rubber and many corrosive and hygroscopic materials. (On page 73 of September CHEMICAL PROCESSING it was stated incorrectly that these containers are a product of Firestone Tire and Rubber Company. Firestone is testing the container for carbon black handling, not producing it. Carbon black is received from Cabot Carbon Company which purchased container from U.S. Rubber Co. This collapsible vessel was developed by U.S. Rubber Co. which holds the patents and is its sole manufacturer.)



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2500 gallon synthetic rubber and fabric containers provide way of handling bulk shipments of granular and powdery materials. Container in center shows how they can be collapsed for return and re-use

several strong, flexible lifting cables which are attached to single lifting ring at top of container. Exterior and inner lining are neoprene rubber. There is a 6" closure in each end for emptying and filling. Arrangements are being made by the manufacturer to lease the containers at a monthly rate if desired. (Containers are a product of the U.S. Rubber Co., Dept. CP, Rockefeller Center, New York 20, N.Y. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3524 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

Elevating tables and trucks shown in catalog

Illustrated 12-page catalog shows elevating work tables and work lifter units. Accessories and attachments for both hand powered and electric hoisting units are also included in publication.

Cat 54 is issued by Standard Products Div., Economy Engineering Co., Dept. CP, 4511 W. Lake Street, Chicago, Illinois. When inquiring specify CP 3525 on handy form, pages two and three.



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information about the BakerLull, Model 20, 12 cubic foot
SHOVELOADER which sells
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Baker-Lull SHOVELOADERS are available in sizes ranging from 12 cubic feet to 1½ cubic yards four wheel drive. Should you desire information on other sizes please specify when writing. The BAKER-LULL Corporation, 315 West 90th Street, Minneapolis 20, Minn.

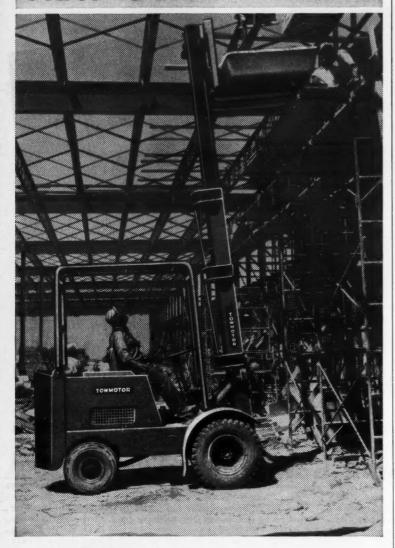
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Unit for finger-tip control of forward and reverse speeds

Change-over kit for converting manufacturer's electric trucks to new control is available.

(Speed control unit is a product of Automatic Transportation Corp., Dept. CP, 149 W. 87th St., Chicago 20, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3528, pages 2 and 3.)

Ore and coal unloaders described in booklet

Equipment and structures for handling coal, ore and other bulk materials are described in 32-page illustrated booklet.

Booklet discusses mechanical, electrical and structural features of such equipment as ore and coal bridges, man trolley unloaders, rope-operated towers, replacement trolleys, hydraulic buffers and rail clamps.

Booklet "Handling Bulk Materials" is issued by the Dravo Corp., Dept. CP, Neville Island, Pittsburgh 25, Pa. When inquiring specify 3529 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.



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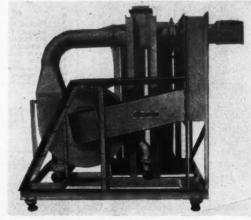


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loader travels on casters for portability and can be used to load at many stations

Pneumatic car loader is fed from overhead screw conveyor through rotary valves and will load an 80 thousand pound boxcar in from two to four hours. Loader is equipped with two filter tubes and eliminates dusting by putting slight negative pressure on the car.

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Loads 40 ton boxcar in two to four hours

tubes. When run is completed, opening of a valve cleans out dust accumulated in bottom of filter and puts it into car.

Unit travels on casters for portability and can be used to load at many stations. When located at station desired, loader is easily raised off casters and set down to solid position.

(Pneumatic car loader is a product of the Day Co., Dept. CP, 820 Third Ave., N.E., Minneapolis 2, Minn. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3533 on handy form which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

Pictures maintenance equipment on various jobs

Illustrated 16-page booklet shows action photographs of tractors, motor graders, motor and pull scrapers, motor wagons, and power units.

"New Economy" bulletin is available from Tractor Div., Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 1125 S. 70th St., Milwaukee 1, Wisc. When inquiring reader may simply specify 3534 on handy form which is located between pages 2 and 3.



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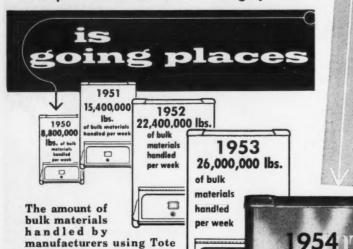
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Charger-equipped power unit for operator-led lift trucks enables battery charging to be done when trucks are idle. Battery remains



on trucks when charger is plugged into 110v, 60 cy AC outlet. Charger can be left on without damage to battery when routine charging is done overnight.

(K. W. type Charger 6 SPC-11 power unit is a product of K-W Battery Co., Dept. CP, 3574 W. Howard St., Skokie, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3536 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Allows conveyors to cross aisles

Counter-balanced air operated gate allows conveyor to cross aisles. Simple push button arrangement on either side of gate permits raising and closing of gate from either side.

Fork lift truck operators can lift and lower gate without getting off truck. Length of gate is determined by width of aisle.

(Conveyor gate is a product of the Sage Equipment Co., Dept. CP, 30 Essex St., Buffalo 13, N.Y... or for more information reader may simply check CP 3537 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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Shallow materials handling tray allows single layer transporting of parts without wasting space. Empty trays nest as shown on right

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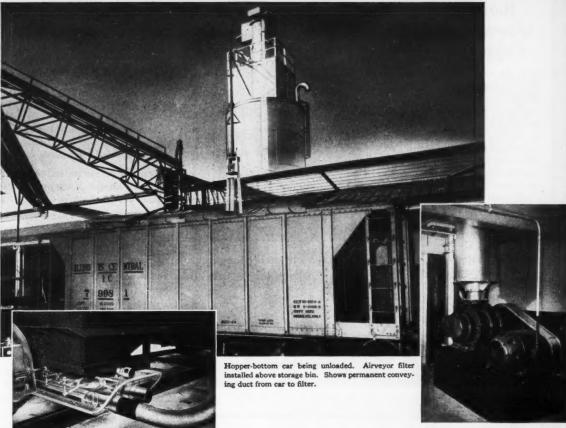
When trays are tiered each unit rests on upraised handle of tray below. Because of double-hopper ends, contents remain visible and accessible.

(Model 224 trays are a product of the Chas. Wm. Doepke Mfg. Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 8825 Blue Ash Rd., Rossmoyne, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3540 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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Illustrated catalog covers V-belts, transmission belts, conveyor belts, and rubber hoses and pipe flanges.

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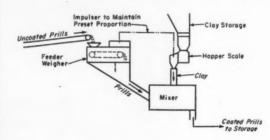
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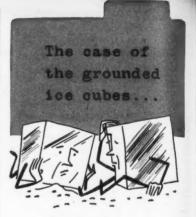
Products handled include chemicals, foods, feeds, fertilizers, tobaccos, plastics, and cement and rock products. Components of system are automatic hopper scale, electric control system, control panel and constant-weigh belt feeder.

In operation, process material drops on belt feeder and discharges into mixer. Batches of additive are weighed out and automatically discharged into same mixer. Signal for discharge of additives is transmitted via impulser on belt feeder. Flow of material leaving belt feeder determines rate of additive discharge.

Typical system (see illustration) blends clay and prills. The clay serves as coating for prills to prevent them from sticking together. Weighing equipment consists of constant-weigh, variable-speed feeder and a Glengarry Injecto-Weigh scale. Prills are fed continuously from belt conveyor to belt feeder, which automatically compensates for small changes in feed rate and density.

Action of feeder's weigh-beam opens and closes magnetic mercury switches that drive small control motor forward or reverse. Motor's action varies resistance in potentiometer that is geared to 3/4-hp variable-speed, DC drive motor. This causes drive motor to slow down or speed up.

Belt feeder can compensate for 10%/minute changes in weight of feed passing over it. For this operation, feeder has been set to hold 10 lb/ft of belt. Totalizing and reset counters record weight directly in pounds.



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Every half-pound of material discharging from feeder produces an impulse. After preset number of impulses the Glengarry discharges batch of clay. Up to 400 impulses may be received by scale before discharging.

Glengarry unit consists of inlet hopper, vibrating feed trough, and small weigh-hopper. Clay is fed to weigh-hopper by vibrating trough. Feed is automatically shut off when pre-set weight is reached.

Alarm sounds and light on control board flashes if Glengarry is feeding too slowly. Alarms also sound if Glengarry or belt feeder is weighing excessively heavy or light. This happens whenever errors exceed 3%.

Panel control board contains stop-counter dials for selecting weight ratios, start and stop buttons, stop-counter, reset button, power-on light, systemrunning light, alarm reset and silencer buttons.

(E-20 Constant-Weight Feeder is a product of the Richardson Scale Co., Dept. CP, Van Houten Ave., Clifton, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 3546 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

(Glengarry Injecto-Weigh scale is a product of Glengarry Equipment Corporation, Dept. CP, Bay Shore, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3546A on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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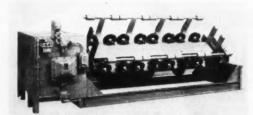
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Internal drum chainer rotates and oscillates drums so all internal surfaces are completely chained. Drums can be loaded manually from either side of machine by placing drums on revolving wheels when carriage is at maximum angular position. After chaining is completed, drums can be removed manually in like manner.



Four drums can be scoured at one time

Machine is complete, including welded structural steel frame, necessary rocking mechanism, two motors and controls. Models range from two to eight drum capacity.

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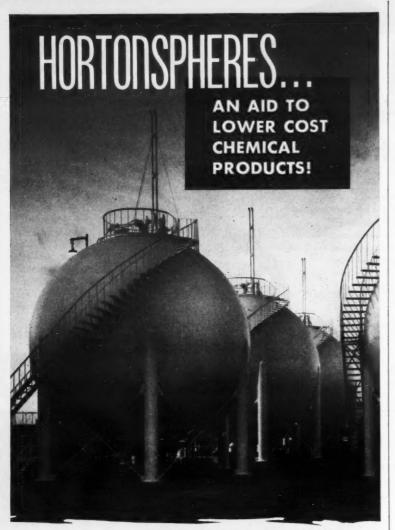


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(SR-4 Load Cells are a product of the Baldwin-Lima-Hamilton Corp., Dept. CP, 940 Simpson St., Philadelphia 42, Pa. . . . or check CP 3550, pages 2 and 3.)

Gives specs on lift truck gripper attachments

Illustrated four-page folder shows action photos and gives specifications on gripper arms.

"Gripper Arms" bulletin is issued by Rheem Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, Box 3669, Philadelphia 25, Pa. Specify CP 3551, pages 2 and 3.



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CHEMICAL PROCESSING

Contains 16 line drawings of pneumatic conveyor

Twelve-page bulletin contains 16 line drawings of typical installations of manufacturer's pneumatic conveying systems. Among the installations are plants using bagged lime and dolomite, carbon black, powdered metal, zinc dust, feed catalysts, rock salt and lime. Clearly labeled drawings, coupled with captions, explain material handling systems.

Bul 105 is issued by Convair, Inc., Dept. CP, 714 Brookline Road, Pittsburgh, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 3554 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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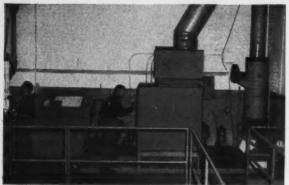


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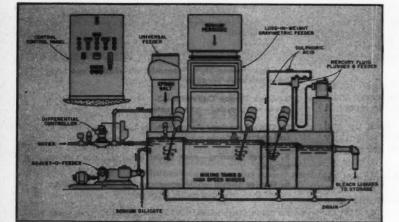


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Switch panel for Omega Feeders is at left.

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Circular 26A is issued by Dept. R-57, Lewis-Shepard Products, Inc., Dept. CP, 194 Walnut St., Watertown, Mass. When inquiring specify CP 3558 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Aluminum container can be nested by hand

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(Nest-A-Bins are a product of Kaiser Nest-A-Bin Div., Willys Motors, Inc., Dept. CP, 880 Doolittle Drive, San Leandro, California . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3559 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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Glass-surfaced storage structures

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(Harvestore structure is a product of A. O. Smith Corp., Dept. CP, 3533 N. 27th St., Milwaukee, Wis. Check CP 3563, pages 2 and 3.)

Strain gage load cells on platform scale

Illustrated in two colors, catalog explains weighing scale which uses strain gage load cells and pneumatic-tare electrical weighing.

Cat 20 is issued by Weighing Components, Inc., Dept. CP, 64 Fulmor Ave., Hatboro, Pa. Specify CP 3564, pages 2 and 3.



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(Barrel Dumper lift truck is a product of Moto-Truc Co., Dept. CP, 1948 E. 59th St., Cleveland 3, Ohio. Check CP 3567, pages 2 and 3.)

Describes recording systems for automatic scales

Illustrated technical reference describes indicating and recording systems for use with manufacturer's automatic scales.

Tech Ref 53J is available from Richardson Scale Co., Dept. CP, Van Houten Ave., Clifton, N. J. Check CP 3568, pages 2 and 3.



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from contemporary publications

Activated silica: use and preparation

The main raw material in the batch or continuous preparation of activated silica is sodium silicate, in which alkali is wholly or partly neutralized. Water treatment plants can be increased in capacity and better water can result from the use of activated silica. Four pages, one photograph, one reference. ("Journal of the American Waterworks Association," June, 1954, page 571.)

Accuracy and precision of analytical procedures

A plan for determining the accuracy and precision of an analytical procedure is illustrated and discussed. Statistical principles are employed. Nine pages, 9 tables, 4 figures, 16 references. ("Analytical Chemistry," Inly, 1954, page 1102.)

How to color butyl rubber

This discussion deals with processing, extrusion, compounding, use of paraffin, acceleration, vulcanizing agents, loading, temperature of vulcanization, type of butyl rubber, and suggested recipes. Seven pages, 9 tables, 4 references. ("Rubber Age," June, 1954, page 389.)

Determining alcohol in breath and blood

Acidified permanganate is used in an "Intoximeter" to determine alcohol in the breath. Alcohol in blood can be estimated from the content of carbon dioxide. Three pages, one figure. ("Journal of Chemical Education," July, 1954, page 380.)

Synthetic detergents and water supplies

Effects of synthetic detergents on water supplies are considered. Chemical and physical behavior, analytical methods, toxicity, and effects on treatment of water and sewage are covered. Twenty-four pages, 9 figures, 6 tables, 62 references. ("Journal of the American Water Works Association, August, 1954, page 751.)

Plastic tools

Plastic tools for metal working are discussed under the headings of economics, reinforced plastics, impregnated materials, tooling, stability, and dies. Thirteen pages, 33 figures. ("Modern Plastics," September, 1954, page 85.)

Crystallization

From England comes this survey, which covers crystal growth, fractional crystallization, additives, equilibria, and industrial practice. This paper is slanted toward production of sodium sulfate, nitrogenous salts, potash, and sugar. Three pages, 77 references. ("Chemical and Process Engineering," August, 1954, page 235.)

Oxygen uptake

Instruments are described for measuring the rate at which bacteria are metabolized in an activated sludge. Determinations of oxidation-reduction potential are made in a sealed Erlenmeyer flask. Results from three waste treatment plants are included. Two pages, 4 figures. ("Instrument and Automation", August, 1954, page 1312.)

Synthetic detergents in sewage

Synthetic detergents in sewage can be determined by means of a volumetric method that is not affected by thiocyanates, nitrates, nitrites, sodium chloride, and sodium sulfate. Nine pages, 9 figures, 2 tables, 8 references. ("Sewage and Industrial Wastes," August 1954, page 945.)

How to reduce post-fire water damage

Photographs and directions show how to mark valves and their locations so that water to sprinkler lines can be cut off quickly after a fire has been extinguished. Two pages, 2 figures, 4 photographs. ("Southern Power and Industry," August, 1954, page 62.)

Coloring plastics

Four papers are devoted to the coloring of styrene, polyethylene, and vinyls. Processing methods, colorants, dispersibility, quality control, performance of colorants, pigments, stabilizers, and applications are covered. Ten pages, 2 figures, 3 tables, 5 photographs. ("Modern Plastics," August, 1954, p. 99.)

Assay of meat

The determination of hydroxyproline as an index of connective tissue in meat muscle is discussed. Determinations of collagen and elastin are included. Five pages, 5 figures, one table, 15 references. ("Agricultural and Food Chemistry," August, 1954, page 878.)

Paper from straw and bagasse

From England comes a survey of straw and bagasse as papermaking materials. Coverage includes bagasse newsprint, suitability of straw pulp, the celedor process, and economic aspects. Four pages, one figure, 5 photographs. ("Fibres," July, 1954, page 219.)

Liquid-liquid extractor

Operating characteristics and design of a new mixer settler for liquid-liquid countercurrent extraction are presented. Results of a trial with the system: methyl isobutylketone - water - acetic acid are given. Six pages, 8 figures, 3 tables. ("Chemical Engineering Progress," August, 1954, page 403.)

Proportioning systems

Continuous gravimetric proportioning systems are discussed under the headings of loss-in-weight designs, belt-type feeders, and electronic load cells. Six pages, 12 figures. ("Mechanical Engineering," August, 1954, page 653.)

Antibiotic fermentation

A British biochemical engineer discusses the growing importance of microbiological processes in chemical industry and the attendant problems. Six pages, one figure, 16 references. ("Research," August, 1954, page 295.)

Dimensional stabilization of paper

This investigation of methods for dimensionally stabilizing paper covers effects of basis weight, freeness, heat, beater addition of clay, silicone and rosin sizes, neoprene, thermosetting resins, and urea. Eleven pages, 17 tables, 11 figures, 37 references. ("Tappi," August, 1954, page 321.)

Titrations by photometry

Advantages and applications of photometric titrations are considered. Attention is accorded acid-base titrations, oxidation-reduction titration, turbidimetric titrations, and those involving complex formations. Four pages, 3 figures, 20 references. ("Journal of Chemical Education," August, 1954, page 394.)

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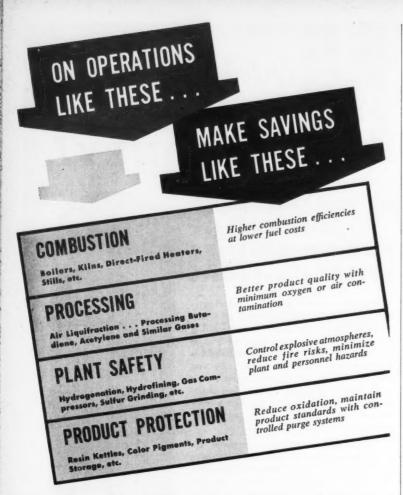


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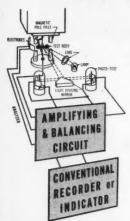
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Paschke shows swirling motion of liquid fatty acids in the flask in a typical laboratory distillation. Equipment being swirled includes single neck, round-bottom flask with thermometer - heated by electric mantle. Also being swirled, but not shown, is a Vigreaux fractionating column and a distillation head

General Mills research chemist R. F. Paschke, who developed laboratory time-saver, shows how to make . . .

flask swirler from stock room parts

Versatile laboratory arm replaces hard stirrers and specialized agitators

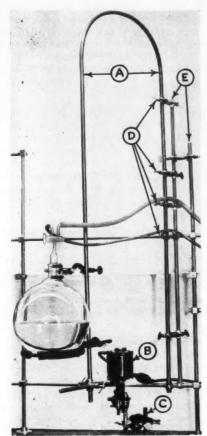
Two research chemists at General Mills research laboratories have come up with a design for an easy-to-make flask swirler. Components for this swirler can be found in almost any laboratory and in the words of the "Do-It-Yourself" manuals, even a child can construct the unit. Called the Paschke Swirler, the laboratory is the brain child of R. F. Paschke and D. H. Wheeler.

To make a Paschke Swirler, bend a nine ft length of 1/2" stainless steel rod into inverted "U". Radius of bend is 6 or 7" in center with arms of approximately equal length.

Fasten one arm of "U" rod firmly to distillation rack at three or four points. This arm acts as the anchoring body. The other arm takes the place of arm and wrist. It is free to oscillate in any direction.

Stirring motor with a weighted eccentric attached on the short motor drive shaft is mounted at bottom of free arm. As eccen-

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Simple setup for swirler includes the "U" arms (A), motor (B), eccentric (C), clamps (D), distillation rack (E)

tric weight revolves, entire free arm is given a swirling motion.

Control of motor speed with variable transformer or rheostat is unsatisfactory due to fluctuations in motor speed. Motor with a variable cone drive is more dependable. Eccentric consists of a short rod mounted horizontally to a drive shaft.

One or two laboratory clamp holders mounted on one end of this horizontal rod give desired eccentric effect. Motor weight plus any charge being swirled causes the free arm to sag. Therefore, the "U" bend should be less than 180 degrees so the loaded arm will approach an approximately vertical position when at rest.

Flasks to be swirled are mounted on this free arm. Simple change of eccentric rpm is enough to adjust the swirling motion to the natural frequency of any particular size flask from a few milliliters to five liters. It is seldom necessary to change the position of mass of weighted eccentric.

The Paschke Swirler has been used for flasks up

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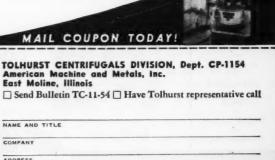
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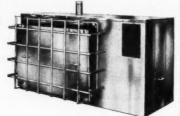
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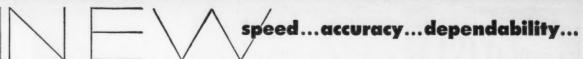
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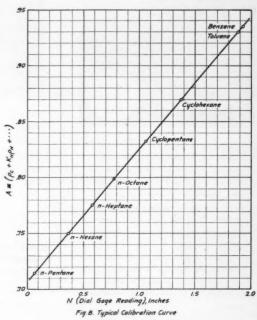
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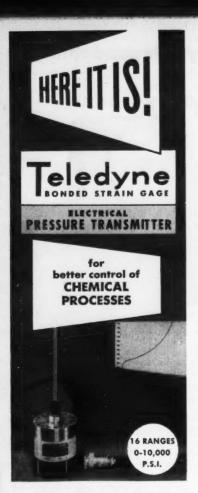
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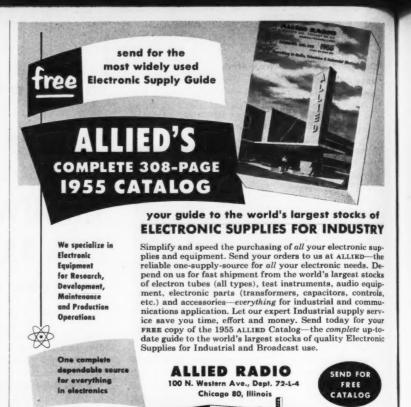
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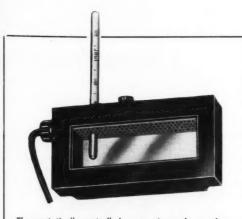
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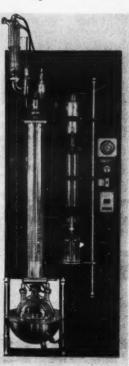
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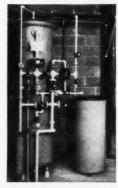
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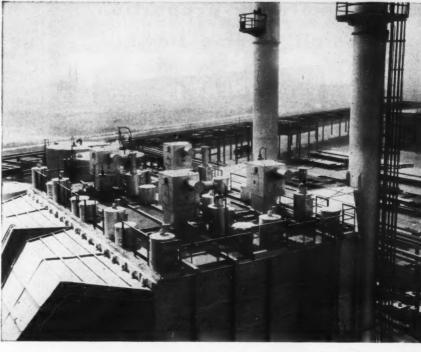
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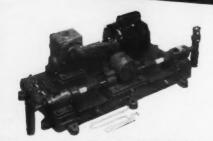
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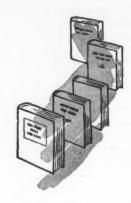
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Comprehensive Inorganic Chemistry, Vol. II Copper, Silver, and Gold

Reviewed by JOHN W. MURRAY Professor of Chemistry Virginia Polytechnic Institute

This 248-page book is the second in a series of eleven and contains three chapters — one on each member of the group. The chapter on copper comprises nearly one-half of the book. The occurrence and metallurgy of each metal are treated at great length and are followed by descriptions of the commercial forms of the metals and of their alloys. The chemical properties of the metals and their significant compounds are then discussed.

As stated in the preface, this series is planned to be comprehensive in the extent of the field covered rather than in the fullness of the treatment. The editors consider the methods of producing the metals from their ores to be the most important part of the subject, and nearly one-half of the book is devoted to this phase. This division appears to be somewhat unbalanced, from the viewpoint of the student of chemistry, since many of the methods discussed are no longer used and some of the procedures are not chemical in nature.

James W. Laist's interpretation of the chemical properties in the light of atomic and molecular structure and the periodic table does not receive the emphasis that the preface would lead one to expect, being largely confined to the eight-page introduction.

The book is written in a very readable fashion and is well documented and indexed. It should prove useful to advanced students of chemistry and to workers in the metal industries.

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(Staff Review)

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Reviewed by E. E. SIMPSON Dublin, Virginia

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The solvents are grouped as to classification, i. e., hydrocarbons, ketones, glycols, esters, etc. Presentation of the information is excellent. The most common chemical name with the structural formula heads the section; then in order are properties, method of manufacture, uses and applications, and toxicity. Where pertinent a discussion of explosive risks is given and in some instances methods of estimation in air blood or urine are presented. Under toxicity, the effects in animals and in man are discussed. Throughout the book statements of clinical findings are accompanied by reference to the authority. There are 53 tables showing the effects of various concentrations of solvents. An extensive bibliography covering up to the year 1948 appears at the end of each chapter. The index is very usable with many cross references.

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Quality Control

Reviewed by D. S. DAVIS Professor of Chemical Engineering Virginia Polytechnic Institute

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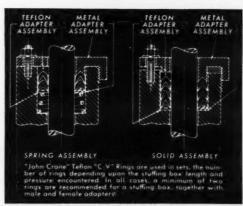
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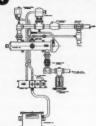
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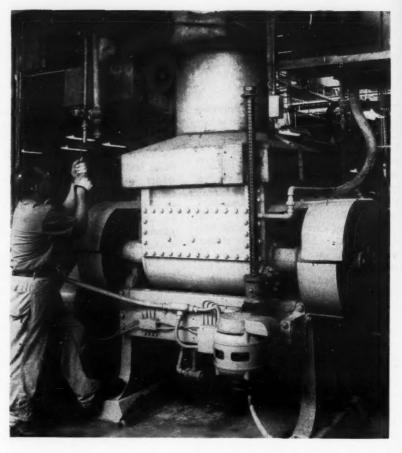
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safe handling of lead oxide

Control of toxic dusts in paste mixing operation makes plant safer

HOWARD F. HIRST, Ventilation Engineer Electric Storage Battery Company Crescentville plant with RICHARD J. CALLAHAN, Assistant Editor

Problem: Highly toxic lead and lead oxides are serious health hazards if not properly controlled. At the Electric Storage Battery Company's Crescentville plant in Northeast Philadelphia, a difficult ventilation problem was encountered in control of lead oxide in preliminary stages of a paste mixing operation. Potential health hazard

caused engineers to examine the problem closely.

Existing buildings, space requirements and volume of production limited Exide plant engineers to design of hoppers holding up to a ton of blended lead oxide on the floor directly above each paste mixing machine. Mixer was loaded by pulling lever which released material in an 18-foot drop. Anticipating blow-back of the lead oxide dust into the working area, a restraining hood was built and suspended from the hopper chute. Sliding joint was provided to allow elevation of the hood to clear mixer when dumping the completed paste.

Production tests revealed severe leakage around the gasket of sliding joint regardless of gasket material used. In addition, dust particles required up to five minutes to settle sufficiently to permit proceeding with

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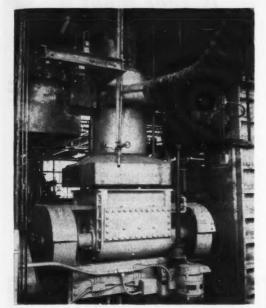
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Immediately after completion of the dumping operation, suction is initiated and hood is raised one to two inches above mixer lip. Careful design of the hood's plenum chamber encourages rapid establishment of desired air flow. Lead oxide particles are exhausted through flexible connection in right foreground. Billowing of dust is eliminated, and within five minutes hood can be elevated to perimt visual inspection of the mixing operation

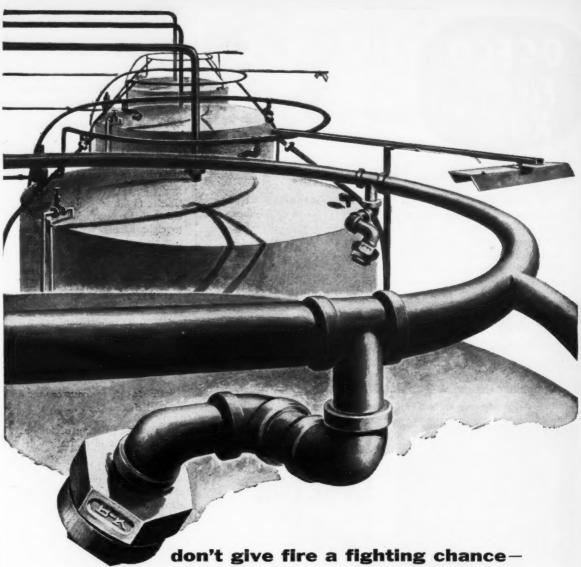
with the mixing operation.

In an immediate effort to remedy the Solution: situation, Exide plant engineers called for a 6-inch outlet in the 1/4-inch steel plate which formed the lower surface of the hood and sealed the mixer during the filling operation. A collar was welded around the opening and a flexible purge duct provided. Dust was exhausted through purge duct by fan into a bag collector. This design was adequate as a temporary measure, and permitted production at a high rate. However, a more permanent form of protection was needed.

Sudden dropping of heavy load into mixer was followed rapidly by a chemical reaction evolving quantities of steam. Condensate of this steam formed a slurry with the dust which often splashed into the purge duct. This tended to clog the opening and cut down ventilation efficiency.

New design called for counter-weighted hood surrounding lower section of chute. Sliding joint feature was retained to permit elevating hood the necessary thirty inches to clear mixer, which dumped by tilting. From a circular cross section, hood was fabricated to surround the four sides of mixer. Within this rectangular cross section was bracketed a 1/4-inch steel plate with appropriate cutout. Lower edge of hood extended below the mixer lip to form a skirt. One-

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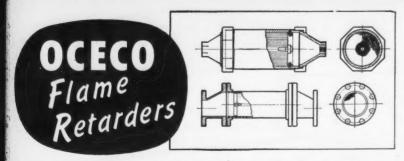
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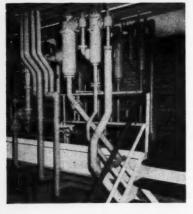
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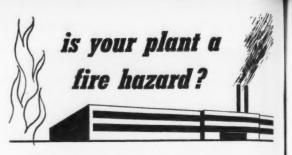
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Three models are available in sizes of 2, 3 and 4".

(Universal Model 704M is a product of the Universal Valve Co., Dept. CP, 407 South, Elizabeth 2, N. J. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3620 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

Thermal plastic scrap line checked for tramp iron by magnetic units

Expensive calendar rolls used in processing sheets of thermoplastic had to be protected from tramp iron at the Chicago plant of US Rubber Company. Belt conveyor brings plastic scraps to rollers.

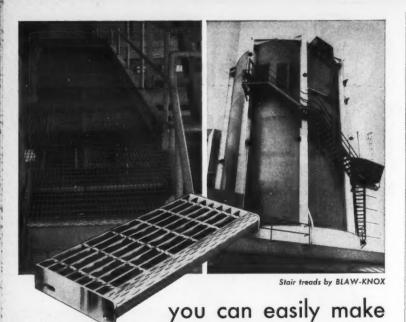
Two different types of magnetic separators were installed on belt conveyor to screen tramp metal from the plastic material. Permanent magnetic pulley was installed as head pulley on the conveyor.

This pulley maintains magnetic field so that metallic material is held to belt surface until plastic material falls into bin. Tramp metal is automatically released beyond divider strip and falls into container. Should any tramp articles pass screening process, plate magnet at discharge end of conveyor catches them.

(Magnetic pulley and plate magnet are products of Eriez Manufacturing Company, Department CP, 13 Magnet Drive, Erie, Pennsylvania . . . or for more information check CP 3621 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



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Uses: For fighting fires in the chemical and oil industry. Hose is built to resist severe oil, chemical, and abrasive conditions which tend to deteriorate ordinary fire hose.

Features: Hose has excellent resistance to weak acids, even at boiling temperature, and to strong acids at room tempera-

Description: Constructed of neoprene tube and covered with strong Dacron, fire hose is impregnated with skim coat of neoprene, making it oil resistant both inside and out. Hose withstands temperatures to 375°F and pressures of 500 psi. It is available in 11/2 and 21/2" ID sizes. (Petrochem Hose is a develop-

ment of the Quaker Rubber Corp., Div. of H. K. Porter Inc., Dept. CP, 342 Madison Ave., New York 17, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3624 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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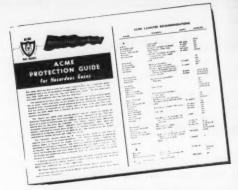
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inch annulus was incorporated between skirt and mixer. Lead oxide particles in this operation are known to be very fine with some in the sub-micron range, but an air velocity of 2500 fpm through the one-inch annulus was considered sufficient to capture all the dust.

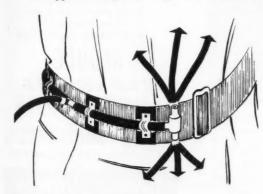
While filling, mixer is sealed by ¼-inch steel plate resting on mixer lip. Immediately after filling, hood is raised one to two inches from mixer lip. Hood skirt prevents billowing of dust in the few seconds required for establishment of designed air velocity. Continuously operating roof fan exhausts dust-laden air into a bag collector at 3500 fpm through a 10" diameter neoprene-coated flexible hose. Hose is secured to hood twenty inches above mixer lip, sufficiently distant to eliminate splashing of mix into exhaust opening.

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Intensive safety glass program helps reduce eye injuries at Houdry Process Corp . . .

> eye injuries under program only 1/3 as frequent as before

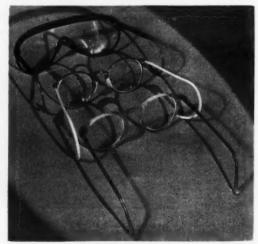
Analysis of the safety records at the Research and Development Laboratories of Houdry Process Corp., Marcus Hook, Pa., revealed that eye injuries constituted a disproportionate share of all accidents. Out of a total of 37 accidents reported in 1952, eye

> injuries accounted for 10. Safety glasses were always available but employes used them only for obviously hazardous operations.

> Safety committee set up intensive program to make employes safety-glass conscious. All em-

ployes were fitted with personal safety glasses. Prescription glasses were provided where required. Personnel and visitors were requested to wear safety

These safety glasses saved a worker's eyes



Glasses in foreground are now issued to all employes. Former types used are also shown

glasses at all times in areas outside of offices. No compulsory measures were adopted but posters and literature were employed advantageously to keep program before employes.

Standard safety glasses issued were Armorplate glass lens with acetate frames. These have thicker than conventional lenses for high impact resistance. Each lens has been tested to withstand impact of steel ball weighing 1.56 ounces dropped from height of over 4 ft. If safety glass should break under severe impact it will generally crumble into small cubicle par-

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ticles rather than shatter into sharp jagged splinters. Eye accidents have declined markedly since start of program. From November 1953, to April 1954, only two eye accidents were reported, in contrast to six such accidents for same period in previous year.



Posters keep employes safety glass conscious

One employe, draining vessel of liquid he didn't know had been pressured, received forceful splash on his glasses without injury. Another worker, while cutting head out of steel drum with cold chisel, was struck on frame of safety glasses with pieces of flying metal. Glasses shattered but man was

unharmed. On another occasion, a chemist was struck on the face by an ampule of ethyl amine which exploded as it was being cooled. His safety glasses undoubtedly saved his eyes.

With these cases to back him, Harry Turner, Chairman of the Safety Committee, says, "We have every reason to believe that Houdry's safety record will come closer and closer to the 'no accident' goal as wearing of safety glasses becomes more and more a habit."

(Armorplate safety glasses are a product of the American Optical Co., Dept CP, 2 Mechanic St., Southbridge, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 3632 on handy Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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Q. When you refer to Kaocast as a 3000 degree refractory castable, do you mean that its melting point is 3000° F?

A. No, this means that its service use limit is 3000° F; its melting point is 200 degrees higher.

Q. Just what does it take to make a 3000 degree refractory castable like B&W Kaocast?

A. Let's first define a few terms. Refractory castables are made with granular materials which are volume stable at high temperatures and which can undergo repeated heating and cooling cycles without disintegration. These materials, known as refractory calcines or grogs, are blended with suitable hydraulic binders. The initial strength of a refractory castable is thus developed in the same manner as that of ordinary concrete—that is, through the chemical action between water

and the binder. A strong *ceramic bond* is formed when the refractory castable is subjected to temperatures above the vitrification point.

Q. Then you have a grog, a binder and a method of putting them together. Which is most important?

A. You can't say that any one is most important. It's a combination of all three. Let's take them one at a time. Our grog consists primarily of the proper blend of kaolin and other alumina-silica materials. This ratio enables us to achieve a grog with minimum expansion and shrinkage, a high fusion point, and greater stability under load, at varying temperatures.

Q. And now, what about the binder?

A. There are a number of factors responsible for the success of the Kaocast binder. One is the compound Tricalcium Penta-aluminate (3 lime to 5 alumina). This formula produces the most refractory compound (highest melting point) that can be made from lime and alumina. Another is that by using the purest commercially available lime and alumina, the Kaocast binder is substantially free of iron and silica. Such traces of these that are present combine during the pre-

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Q. Just how important is the manufacturing or "blending" of the grog and the binder?

A. If one factor could be singled out as "most important" \ it would be quality control.

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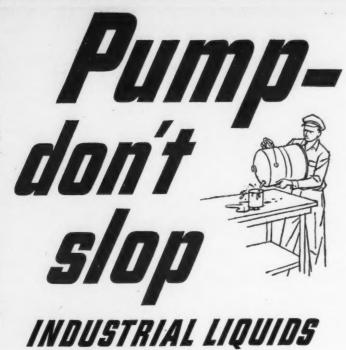
Q. These factors you've discussed must add up to some specific advantages of Kaocast. What are they?

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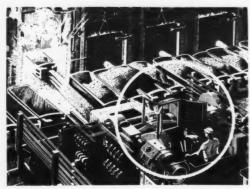
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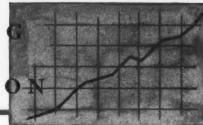
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Ammonium phosphate plant scheduled for West Coast

Construction is under way on new ammonium phosphate plant at Brea, California by Brea Chemicals, Inc., subsidiary of the Union Oil Company of California. Target date of completion for the installation is the latter part of September. Totally soluble phosphoric acid will be mixed with aqua ammonia to form an ammonium phosphate solution. Destined for agricultural use, the solution will be a stable, non-corrosive liquid that can be safely and easily handled and applied in the same equipment now used for distribution of aqua ammonia.

Ammonium phosphate is the second largest tonnage plant nutrient in the West. Brea Chemicals is already supplying nitrogen, the largest tonnage plant nutrient, in the form of aqua ammonia from its new multi-million dollar Brea ammonia plant.

Food Machinery & Chemical buys pesticide works

Food Machinery & Chemical Corp. has purchased National Distillers Products Corporation's USI Fairfield, Maryland (near Baltimore) plant. Production units and pesticide business of National's USI Division of Food operated as a separate division of Food Machinery & Chemical Corp. Fairfield plant manufactures pyrenones, piperonyl butoxide, pyrethrum, allethrin, grain protectants.

Food Machinery & Chemical buys Chicago Pump Co.

Chicago Pump Company, producer of sewage treatment and disposal equipment and specialty pumps for building services, has been purchased by Food Machinery & Chemical Corp. Acquisition of the company complements FMC's regular line of industrial and agricultural pumps with a line of specialized equipment in the waste disposal and building fields. As a subsidiary of FMC, Chicago Pump Company will be an operational component of the parent corporation's Peerless Pump Division.

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Ammonium nitrate works on stream in Kansas

Large-scale ammonium nitrate plant, owned by the Cooperative Farm Chemicals Association, was recently dedicated. Cost of the project, including the ammonia plant, is approximately \$15 million.

Ammonia will be converted to ammonium nitrate prills and nitrogen solutions in a 330 ton per day plant designed and constructed by The Girdler Company, a division of National Cylinder Gas Company. Installation is located on a 374-acre site southeast of Lawrence, Kansas.

Work under way on plant for Sinclair Chemicals

Sinclair Chemicals, Inc., a subsidiary of Sinclair Oil Corporation, has started construction of a petrochemicals producing plant at its Marcus Hook refinery. Unit will produce 18,000,000 gallons per year of pure aromatic hydrocarbons including toluene, xylenes and para-xylene. Feedstock for the entire petrochemical operation will be secured from Sinclair's new multi-million dollar catalytic reforming unit at the 100,-000-barrel-a-day refinery.

Eagle-Picher's H₂SO₄ plant now in operation

Galena, Kansas, plant of Eagle-Picher Company has 300-ton-per-day sulfuric acid unit on stream. Bulk of the plant's output is being used by a nearby eompany to make phosphate fertilizers.

Sulfuric acid unit uses sulfur dioxide gas produced by the roasting of zinc ores. Gas is converted by contact process to sulfur trioxide, which is absorbed to give sulfuric acid.

Reichhold Chemicals to build Canadian chemical works

Phthalic anhydride plant will be built near Montreal, Canada by Reichhold Chemicals, Ltd., Canadian subsidiary of Reichhold Chemicals, Inc. The \$750,000 plant will produce four million pounds annually. Plant's output will be shared between Canadian domestic market and other Reichhold plants requiring phthalic anhydride to make alkyd resins.

Glidden starts work on plants for TiO₂ and H₂SO₄

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One of the largest titanium dioxide and sulfuric acid plants in the world is being constructed by the Glidden Company on a 100-acre site in Baltimore. First of three units of the huge installation, which alone will cost \$10 million and cover 25 acres, is scheduled for completion in December, 1955. Sulfuric acid manufactured at the works will be used in production of titanium dioxide.

National Lead building plant to up production of TiO₂

New facilities for manufacture of titanium dioxide are under construction at the St. Louis operations of National Lead Company. By the end of 1955 (when plant is in full operation) yearly capacity will be in neighborhood of 36,000 tons of TiO₂. Plant has been designed so production of either calcium-base or pure pigment can be switched at will to meet changing market conditions.

Allied's NH₃ plant at Omaha to double capacity

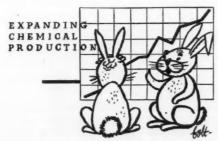
Nitrogen Division of Allied Chemical & Dye Corp. has announced plans to double the ammonia capacity of its new plant at Omaha, Nebr. Works went on stream in April. Construction of new facilities will begin as soon as necessary supply of natural gas for raw material has been assured, according to Hugo Riemer, Nitrogen Division's President. Present units of the plants have an annual capacity of 61,000 tons of nitrogen.

By-product carbon dioxide used to make dry ice

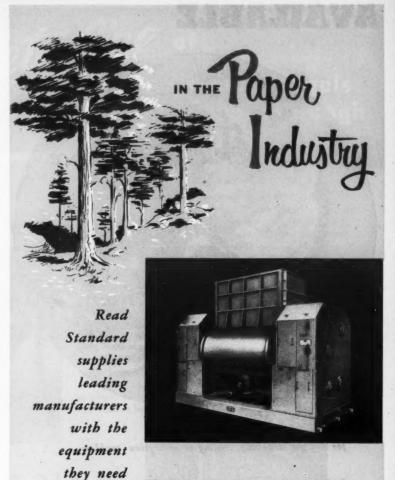
Lion Oil Company is utilizing by-product stream of carbon dioxide from its Barton, Va. ammonia synthesis works. Portion of stream is being used to produce dry ice and liquid carbon dioxide. CO₂ gas, recovered from ammonia synthesis operations by use of ethanolamines, is liquefied by compression and refrigeration. Recently-opened dry ice plant was engineered and erected by The Girdler Company, Chicago.

Nitrogen plant of Deere & Co. now producing NH₃ and urea

New \$20 million nitrogen plant of Deere & Company at Pryor, Oklahoma, is now on stream with anhydrous ammonia and fertilizer grade urea. Rated daily capacity of unit is 180 tons of ammonia, most of which will be used for producing fertilizer, feed, and (in the spring of 1955) technical grade urea.



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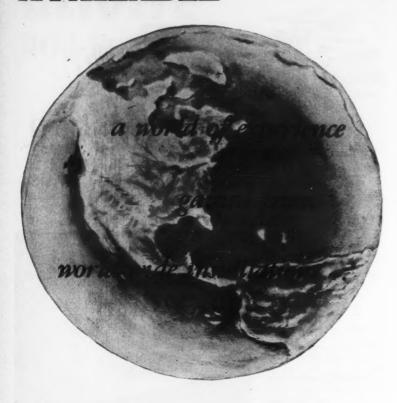
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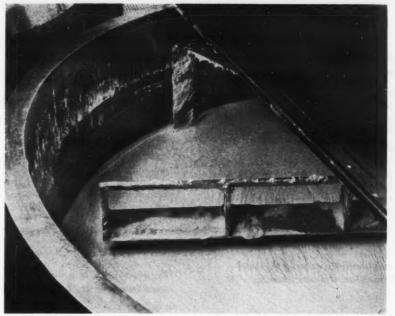
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Use of stainless steel kettles at Mennen -

cuts shave-cream processing time

Only eight hours instead of twelve is required for a larger size batch. Drainage and mixing are improved, and cleanliness of product made doubly sure

GEORGE D. HARRISON, Production Manager The Mennen Co., Morristown, N. J. with GORDON WEYERMULLER, Associate Editor

Problem: Twelve hours was required to manufacture and cool a batch of shaving cream in iron soap crutchers formerly used at The Mennen Company, Morristown, N. J. In addition to slow reaction and cooling time, vertical sides of the dish-bottom vessels made it difficult to clean all of product from the walls and provide adequate drainage.

Raw materials as received were loaded into crutcher. All of the reaction in the process of forming soap was effected in vessel. Heat of reaction was supplemented by live steam at about 40 psig. Upon completion of reaction in crutcher, batch was cooled prior to removal to a storage tank. Last step was filling operation. have

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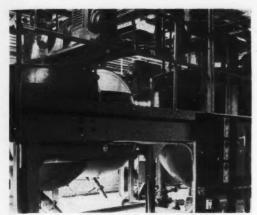
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A reversible worm-type agitator operated in the center of the crutcher on a vertical shaft. Agitator had only one speed forward and one reverse. Steam or cool water could be run through the outer wall of vessel as well as inner draft tube in center for purpose of heating or cooling.

Solution: Five 1000-gal stainless steel kettles were placed in operation manufacturing and cooling shaving cream in June of 1953. As shown in accompanying photographs, vessels are hemispherical. They

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Hemispherical shape of kettles provides efficient heating and cooling, while allowing complete drainage through flush-type valve in bottom

have scraper-type agitators, which are variable in speed. Heating and cooling are effected by passing steam or cold water through jacketed wall.

Results: Time required to manufacture and cool a batch is approximately eight hours instead of twelve. Batch size is now 6000 lb instead of the previous 5000 lb.

Hemispherical shape of kettle provides efficient heat transfer and allows complete drainage of batch through a flush-type valve located at bottom in center of vessel. Since agitator acts as a scraper, product is removed from wall as agitator turns. Method of agitation makes mixing more complete and effects a pickup in speed of heating and cooling. Variable-speed drive has been found to be of advantage as viscosity of product changes during manufacture.

Since stainless steel construction eliminates any possibility of contamination by kettle wall, a high quality product is assured. Vessels have required a minimum of maintenance since they were placed in service.

(Stainless steel kettles are manufactured by Lee Metal Products Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 417 Pine St., Philipsburg, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3645 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

For a guide to processing ideas . . .

You'll find what you need in the handy Product Directory on pages 213 to 216. All products and processes are listed there.

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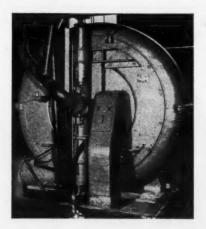
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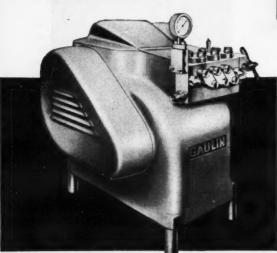
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1000-pound-capacity unit stores 8700 cu ft

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Uses: For converting solid blocks of commercial dry ice into liquid or gaseous carbon dioxide, and storing same.

Features: Quality of gas from converters is constant. Gas is available as soon as connections are made. Without use of heat, freshly charged converter will reach room temperature in about 12 hours. For more rapid liquefaction, auxiliary equipment such as electric heaters or hot water spray manifolding can be used.

Description: Full 50 lb blocks of dry ice are inserted into cylinder. Unit is sealed and dry ice begins to convert to liquid-gaseous state. Either gas or liquid may be withdrawn.

Converters come in four sizes: 300, 600, 750, and 1000-lb capacities. Units can be installed vertically or horizontally. Large converter stores about 8700 cu ft of gas which can be withdrawn at rates up to 900 cfh. While storing gas, unit requires no attention. Converters are built to ASME specifica-

(Dry ice converters are product of Dry Ice Converter Corporation, Dept. CP, Box 1652, Tulsa, Oklahoma . . . or for more information check CP 3648 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Heat transfer surfaces kept clean in evaporator by revolving steel wipers . . .

leave thin, turbulent film on heating surface which helps speed evaporation

Distilling water, concentrating solutions, extracting solids from solutions, and (with some modification) vacuum drum drying and circulation drying.

Revolving stainless steel wipers prevent scaling, maintain clean heat transfer surfaces, and help speed evaporation.

Capacities range from 65 lb/hr Description: (distillate) pilot model to 6000 lb/hr model. Special designs are available for processing larger quantities. Power requirements are approximately 8 kwh per 1000 lb distillate (125 lb/kwh), plus small amount of make-up heat in specific applications.

Evaporator consists of six major components: boiler shell of corrosion-resistant plates in which evaporation takes place; bank of evaporating-condensing diaphragms of welded stainless steel located inside boiler; twin rotating wipers placed between diaphragms, also made of stainless steel; compressor, impervious to steam vapors or substance being treated; contro requir Feed evapo other steam gases dean to rol lent f ing st moun Vapo passe quire in sy feren below neede

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Feed solution is introduced hot into shell side of evaporator. Diaphragms are separate from one another and connected only by manifolds through which steam is admitted and distillate and non-condensable gases are removed. Outside of diaphragms are kept clean and scale-free by means of wipers attached to rotating arms. Wipers also create a highly turbulent film of liquid, which speeds evaporation on heating surface. Wiper arms are driven by electric motor mounted outside shell.

Vapors from solution being evaporated are taken off, passed through a pump and sent through diaphragms as heating steam. Outside steam connection is required to start unit and maintain exact heat balance in system. Compressor serves to create pressure differential in system either at atmospheric pressures or below with corresponding temperature differential needed for heat transfer.

Units are available in stainless steel or other corrosion-resistant materials. Diaphragms, wipers, and other parts are standard in design and are interchangeable.

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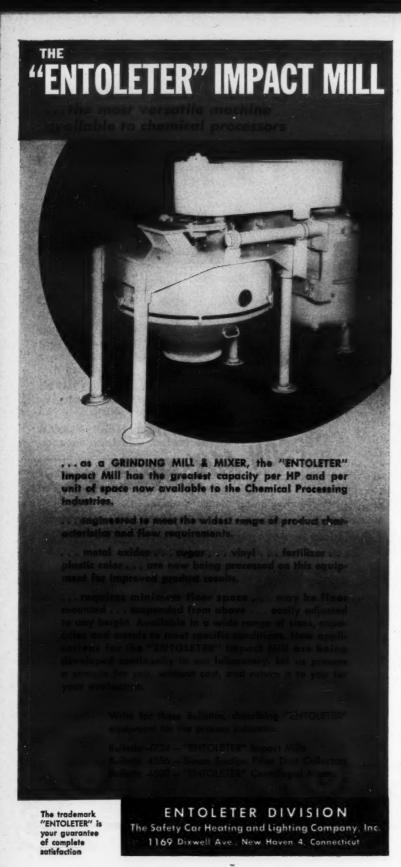


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No rods, supports used for carrying sifter box on rotary unit . . .

> four-point drive imparts uniform motion over screen area

Uses: Designed to meet requirements of process plants for an efficient low-head, high-speed, dusttight, easily-cleaned sifter or grader.

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Sifters are made with sieve areas ranging from two to 56 sq ft

of cast aluminum frames, reinforced to carry full stress and centrifugal thrust imposed by rotary motion. Side panels are of aluminum or stainless steel sheets, laminated to the aluminum frame.

Sieve frames are removable for cleaning or washing. Frames are available in wood, wood with metal lining, or all-metal construction and may be clothed with wire, silk, or nylon. Either level or inclined sieves can be furnished, with or without flights.

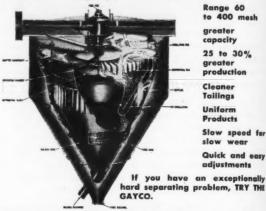
Four series of models are available with sieve areas ranging from two to 56 square feet.

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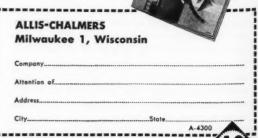


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air and water vigorously mixed by centrifugal action

Uses: Designed especially for tough dust control problems such as exist under following conditions:

1) high temperature or moisture,
2) explosive or combustible dusts,
3) corrosive, highly abrasive or obnoxious dusts, 4) combinations of the above.

Features: Vane design provides increased impingement surface and imparts vigorous centrifugal action to both air and water — producing thorough intermixing and preventing channeling.

Description: Collector CW-1 consists essentially of a series of circular vaned sections, equally spaced, mounted one above the other inside a vertical tower. Top section is water entrainment section and those below are wet impingement sections.

Collectors are made with inside diameters ranging from 3 to 8 ft, in 6 inch increments. Height is governed by number of vaned sections required for specific application.

Water enters near top of tower (immediately below water entrainment section) through an open end pipe. As water flows downward through vaned sections, it vigorously mixes with the upcoming dust-laden air, which enters unit through tangential inlet at bottom.

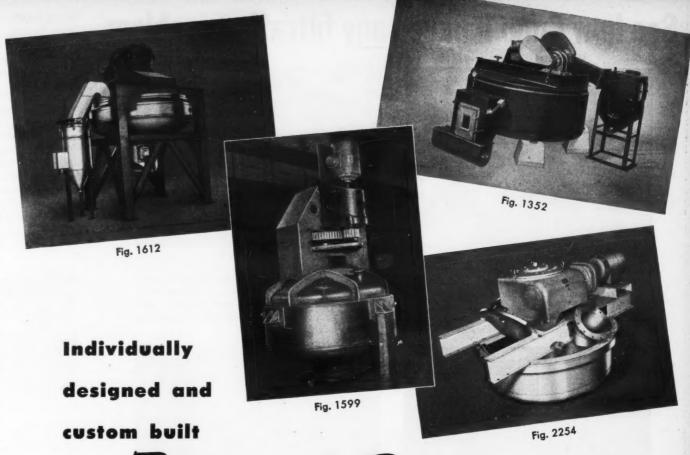
Clinging together, water and dust are discharged as sludge through tower's conical bottom. Clean air leaves at top.

Since no spray nozzles are used, water may be recirculated after clarification in settling tanks.

(Wet collector is product of Pangborn Corporation, Dept. CP, 286 Pangborn Blvd., Hagerstown, Md. . . . or for more information check CP 3656, pages 2 and 3.)

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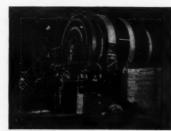




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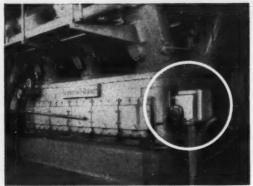
See how Cuno handles any filtration problem



10,000 gallons of water per minute are filtered by six of these Cuno Flo-Klean filters, used to remove sand and gravel from incoming well water at pharmaceutical plant. Plant records show that the Flo-Kleans, by protecting valves and pumps from wear caused by sand, are responsible for saving up to \$2000 per month in maintenance costs.



Paints and enamels. This Cuno MICRO-KLEAN installation filters enamel being pumped from storage tanks to shipping containers. This micronic media provides finer filtration at lower costs for chemicals, oils, gases, water and many other liquids. Records show that the MICRO-KLEAN element lasts twice as long as ordinary cartridges.



Lubricating oil for modern 600 hp gas compressor is thoroughly strained by four Cuno Auto-Klean filters. The continuously cleanable all-metal Auto-Kleans are specified as standard equipment by leading manufacturers of Diesel engines, compressors, pumps, machine tools and other heavy-duty machinery.



Screens. Cuno makes a complete line of both electrolytically formed and woven screen strainers designed to be built into your product. The electrolytically formed screens are available in nickel; the woven screens of steel, brass, copper, stainless and other alloys are provided in all standard variations of weave.

 We're really proud of our growing list of satisfied customers, like Buda, Bullard, Consolidated Paper, Du Pont, Ingersoll-Rand, Pratt & Whitney, Sherwin-Williams and others who use Cuno filters for anything from acids to tar. They know that if it can be pumped, Cuno can filter it.

We'd like to know about your filtration problem, too. Write for free analysis questionnaire. Cuno Engineering Corporation, Dept. 1634, Meriden, Conn.

EVINO ENGINEERED FILTRATION
Removes More Sizes of Solids From More Kinds of Fluids

AUTO-KLEAN (disc-type)

MICRO-KLEAN (fibre cartridge)

FLO-KLEAN (wire-wound)

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PROCESSING

Describes processing equipment and applications

Pressure filters, ion exchangers, centrifugal pumps, heat exchangers, and rubber lining and covering services for corrosion prevention are described in 16-page illustrated catalog. Complete with photographs, drawings and tables, booklet lists specifications, and use and application data.

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Cat CEC-55 is issued by The Industrial Filter and Pump Manufacturing Company, Dept CP, 5900 Ogden Avenue, Chicago 50, Illinois. When inquiring specify CP 3659, pages 2 and 3.

Water gets complete treatment in compact plant . . .

operation simple, needs only part-time watching

Uses: For treating water in plants or small communities.

Features: Compact plant is reported to be lowcost and includes all necessary equipment. Operation is relatively simple, requiring only part-time supervision of a non-technical operator.

Description: Heart of plant is Graver reactivator, a cold-process water-treating unit for selective or simultaneous removal of turbidity, color, organic matter, taste and odor, iron and manganese, and hardness from water supplies. Reactivator is self-contained, high rate unit of solids-contact type, embodying within single compartmented tank all functions of coagulations, flocculation, sedimentation, and sludge removal. Detention time is 60 to 90 minutes

Rapidity of treatment is due to "seeding" process incorporated in reactivator. Process involves continuous recirculation of a substantial concentration of previously formed precipitates through zone in which raw water and chemicals are added. Suspended particles act as seed to which newly formed precipitates adhere. Speed-up of formation of settleable solids reduces retention time required for good settling and eliminates need for large sedimentation basins used in conventional plants.

Package-type plant includes clearwell, chlorinator, wet or dry chemical feeders, and proportioners, gravity or pressure filters, recarbonator when required, level and flow controls and instruments, and interconnecting piping. Standard layouts are available in wide selection of capacities from 0.1 to 2.0 MGD, special layouts being available for larger capacities.

(Packaged water treatment plants are product of Graver Water Conditioning Company, Dept. CP, 216 W. 14th Street, New York 11, New York . . . Check 3660, pages 2 and 3.)

CHEMICAL PROCESSING

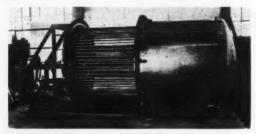
Precise temperature control ubtained in completely closed-system dyeing machine . . .

sampling, dye additions made through pressure locks so conditions remain unchanged

Uses: Dyeing cotton, wool, and synthetic fabrics.

Features: Completely closed system permits precise control of temperature. Uniform dye distribution is facilitated by rotary action and constant agitation of bath.

Description: Barotor is an open-width piecegoods dyeing machine capable of processing at temperatures greater than 212°F. Many fabrics can be



Dyeing machine opened for loading. In operation, uniform dye distribution is facilitated by rotary action

handled, including synthetics often difficult to dye by conventional methods. Fabric runs at full width, the most favorable condition for eliminating rope and crack marks.

Minimum tension in warp direction reduces stretching. Color, uniformity, and evenness are said to remain excellent though dyeing cycles are shortened. Test sampling and dye additions are made through pressure locks so that no physical conditions are changed during operation.

Live steam distributed beneath a false bottom produces temperature and pressure desired for dyeing. Sealed operation and precision controls make it possible to duplicate conditions from lot to lot. Significant improvements in quality and reduction in costs are reported with machine.

(Barotor is product of Rodney Hunt Machine Company, Dept. CP, 273 Maple Street, Orange, Mass. . . . or for more information check CP 3661 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Recirculated cooling water becomes concentrated in dissolved solids. For a quick method of finding how concentrated, take a look at nomograph on page 206.



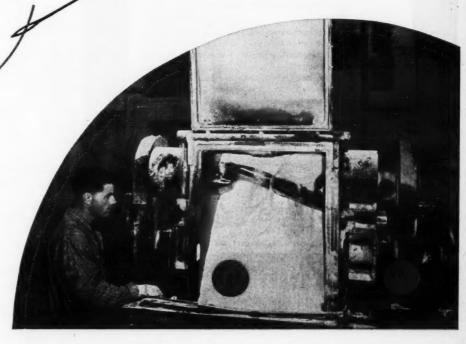
BAKER PERKINS SIZE 14 JNM2 UNIVERSAL MIXER uniformly blends special vinyl compounds for Auburn Button Works, Inc., Auburn, N.Y.

As an intermediate processor of raw materials for plastics fabricators, the Extrusion Division of Auburn Button Works in Auburn, New York, compounds and blends a wide variety of special vinyl plastic mixtures for its many customers. Thorough mixing and intensive kneading of the materials is necessary to insure a uniform blend with high tensile strength, good surface quality, retention of heat and light stability and other characteristics important in the finished extrusion. To obtain these characteristics, Auburn employs a specially designed Size 14 BAKER PERKINS JNM2 Universal Mixer with a working capacity of 50 gallons and a total capacity of 75 gallons. This machine is equipped with a trough shell of #304 stainless steel and is jacketed for 80 lbs. steam pressure. It has cast sigma blades with dispersion faces, cored for steam, and is driven by a 20 h.p., 900 rpm. motor.

BAKER PERKINS Universal Mixers are adaptable to virtually every mixing and kneading operation from very light to heavy duty, handling mixtures ranging in consistency from dry powders to stiff plastic masses. For complete information about Universal Mixers and other B-P equipment for the chemical processing industries, consult a BAKER PERKINS sales engineer or write us today.

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PROCESSING

Flotation unit can remove light, heavy particles at same time . . .

those adhering to air bubbles rise, are skimmed off top

Uses: General flotation work in chemical, metallurgical, pulp and paper, and petroleum fields.

Features: Besides handling floatable particles, machine can be equipped with bottom scraper for removing settleable particles. Both types of particles are removed continuously.

Description: Prior to entering machine, influent is aerated under pressure in saturator tank to dissolve air in stream. Upon entering machine, dissolved air comes out of solution (because of pressure release) in form of tiny bubbles, size of which depend upon aeration pressure or pressure drop at release point and air in solution.

Particles adhere to bubbles and rise to top, where they dewater partly and are moved to collector trough for removal.

Concentration of "float" can be varied by changing holding time on surface before skimming. This is accomplished by adjusting the operating level to regulate quantity being skimmed off by rotary skimmer.

(Aeroflotor is product of Graver Water Conditioning Company, a division of Graver Tank and Manufacturing Company, Dept. CP, 216 West 14th St., New York 11, N. Y. Check CP 3664, pgs. 2 & 3.)

Wet-blast unit occupies 22 x 22" floor space

Compact wet-blast unit for metal finishing shop is described on one-page folder. Drawings and photograph illustrate design and operation.

Folder "Pressure Blast Jr." is issued by The Cro-Plate Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 747 Windsor St., Hartford 5, Conn. When inquiring specify CP 3665 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.



Delivers demineralized water in continuous flow under pressure at from 5 to 25 gallons per hour. Connects to any water line. Like turning on a faucet. Minerals are chemically removed from water by ion-exchange. No heat or cooling water employed. Uses high capacity replaceable cartridge. Hundreds of uses in industry. Bulletin #128 describes most of them.

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Cross section at left shows how KLEENSLOT Screens operate on a non-clegging principle.

Wedge Wire KLEMSLOT screen guards can be furnished in special sizes to your requirements in practically any type of long wearing metal. They are made to close tolerances like all Wedge Wire products—the width of each wire is held to place or mires. 2002 to insure uniform opening width. All Wedge Wire features are embodied in these screen guards and it is to your advantage to consider them from the standpoint that they are non-clagging, non-blinding, strong, rigid, uniform and more economical in the long run.

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Peripheral velocities of mixers range from 60 to 100 ft/sec

Mixers capable of operating at peripheral velocities of 60 to more than 100 ft/sec are described in four-page folder. Speed occurs along outside of mixer's revolving rotor. Uniform mixing, with no stratification, is accomplished with little surface boil and vortex so that a minimum of air is mixed into the liquid.

Illustrated with photos, drawings, and tables, literature discusses theory of operation, design, and advantages. Units range in size from 1/3 to 30 hp.

"Hermas Jet Mixer" is issued by Hermas Machine Company, Dept. CP, PO Box 166, Hawthorne, New Jersey. When inquiring specify CP 3668 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.

Temperatures up to 1200°F possible with rugged, large-equipment heating mantles . . .

can be used on 1 to 200-gallon capacity vessels

Uses: For heating kettles or vessels in pilot or production plants.

Features: Fabric used in mantle is break-resistant and will withstand heavy usage. Mantle can be used for temperatures up to about 1200°F (650°C).

Description: Nichrome resistance wire is woven

Large-size heating mantles stand rough handling

into fabric spirally from bottom up. Spacing between winds is small at bottom of mantle and increases toward equator of kettle or whatever receptacle is used. Consequently, area of greatest heat input is around bottom center, making set-up ideal for distillations, where highest boiling fractions remain to last and need extra heat.

Mantles are available for equipment with

capacities from 1 to 200 gallons. Those for the larger units have multiple heating circuits from top to bottom.

(Heating mantles are product of Glas-Col Apparatus Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 711 Hulman Street, Terre Haute, Indiana . . . or for more information check CP 3669 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



WHERE A HEAT EXCHANGER MUST BE GOOD

 ADSCO Heat Exchanger (insulated) above vacuum drier at National Aniline condenses organic acid vapor in tubes with water or brine in shell. Exchanger equipped with shell expansion joint. The ADSCO Heat Exchangers shown on this page are installed in the Buffalo, N. Y., plant of the National Aniline Division of Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation. The manufacturing processes of National Aniline require engineered equipment of the highest caliber. . . . ADSCO, in business since 1877, offers the chemical processing industry a complete line of carefully-engineered heat exchangers built to customers' specifications or to our recommended designs. Inquiries are cordially invited.

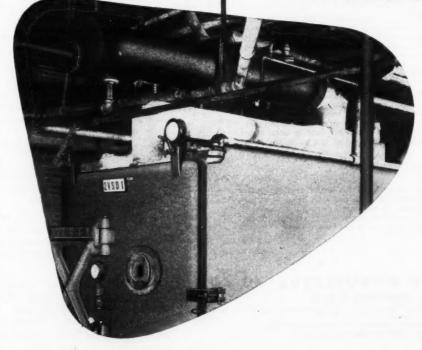
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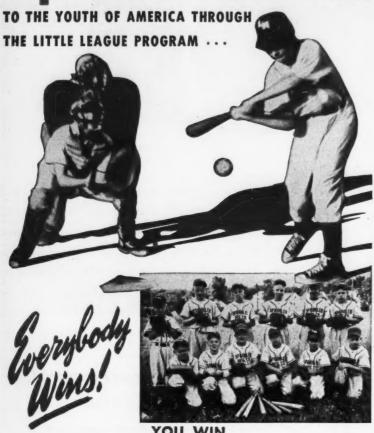


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All over America 3,500 Little League teams compete this year in a series of games, climaxing in a World Series in Williamsport, Pa. These youngsters, all between eight and twelve years old, quickly learn two traits that will help them keep our nation great in future years — competition and fair play. Training like this is insurance for you that the young men of tomorrow will want to live by those ideals you, as an American, cherish.

THE BOYS WIN

Being part of the team, the pride of wearing the uniform, making a good play — these are all things each Little Leaguer enjoys at the moment, and will remember for the rest of his life. Regardless of the score at the end of the game, the boys all come out winners.

SPARKLER WINS

Sparkler Manufacturing Co. sponsors this Little League team in Mundelein, Ill. Formed four years ago, there are fifteen boys on the team, and twenty games to be played during the summer. Sparkler wins in pride — pride of contributing to the happiness and growth of these Big Leaguers of the future.

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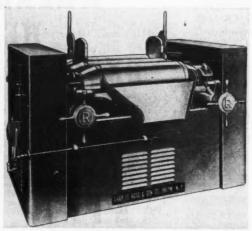
PROCESSING

Center roll operates in either fixed or floating position on 3-roll mill . . .

conversion to either setup made easily without special tools, kits

Uses: For mixing and grinding chemicals, cosmetics, paints, and printing inks.

Features: Mills can be operated with fixed center roll and four-point adjustment when differences in pressure between feed and takeoff rolls are desired, or with floating center roll and two-point adjustment when equalized pressures are preferred.



Three-roll mill has balanced apron, provides uniform pressure on front roll as knife wears

Conversion from one operation to other is easily accomplished without special tools or kits.

Description: Ross 52TC high-speed three-roll mills achieve high shear by their high differential speed ratio. Apron can be raised or lowered to most efficient takeoff position. Balanced apron provides constant uniform pressures of knife on front roll as knife wears.

Mills have manual adjustment of rolls, with ball thrust bearings on adjusting screws to facilitate turning of handwheels. Large calibrated indicating dials assure parallelism of roll faces with corresponding dial readings.

Machines are reported to give greater production and assure top operating efficiency when one mill must meet various requirements of different materials. Units are available in six sizes, from 41/2'' x 10" to 16" x 40".

(52TC Three-roll mills are manufactured by Charles Ross and Son Company, Dept. CP, 148-156 Classon Avenue, Brooklyn 5, New York . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3672 on handy Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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CHEMICAL PROCESSING

Difficult dusts easily removed by "package" collector . . .

carbon black, limestone, and glazing dusts separated with 99% efficiency

Uses: Control of dust and fumes and reclamation of valuable materials.

Features: Exhauster and precipitator components are combined into compact "package" unit. Collector has low water consumption, is self-cleaning, can be located outside or inside building, and may be operated at high temperatures.

Carbon black, limestone, soapstone, pigments, and glazing dusts can be removed with 99% efficiency (weight basis).

Description: Collector consists essentially of a

fan section and a cylindrical washer section. Wash liquid is sprayed into fan section where it mixes with air to be cleaned. Humidified air, together with entrained wetted dust, enters washer section where the heavier particles are initially separated by centrifugal action resulting from tangentially located inlet. Final cleaning occurs from impingement both on wetted surfaces and liquid spray in vaned compartments of

liquid spray in vaned compartments of wash section. Entrained moisture is separated from cleaned gas in elimi-

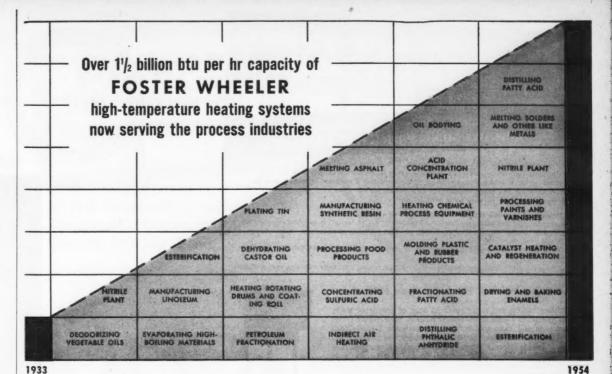


Collector removes dust and fumes by dynamic and centrifugal principles

nator stage following wash stage. Collected dust is removed in sludge form through single outlet at bottom of collector.

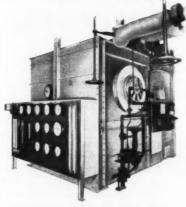
Units are available in 12 sizes ranging from 700 to 20,000 cfm capacities. All parts are easily accessible for inspection. Various linings and materials of construction can be had. Collectors are being used extensively in chemical and process industries. Reclaim savings effected are often said to pay for equipment outlay within short time.

(Collectors are product of The Ducon Company, Department CP, 147 East Second Street, Mineola, Long Island, New York . . . or for more information about manufacturer's product reader may simply check CP 3674 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



WHAT THIS CHART DOESN'T SHOW-

is the technical knowledge needed to design a heating system right



Foster Wheeler-designed Dowtherm Vaporizer, 4,000,000 btu/hr, 650 F, 58 psig.

THE important elements which cannot be shown graphically are the experience and vast technical knowledge which Foster Wheeler engineers have acquired in the design and construction of the specialized equipment needed to do the job right.

Yet it is this know-how that has achieved an unparalleled record of fine performance in nearly five hundred installations. The result of over twenty-one years' experience in the development of Dowtherm high-temperature, low-pressure

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Theorizing about weighing problems when you should be THAYER-IZING them?

SAVE TIME AND MONEY IN BAGGING, BATCHING AND CHECKWEIGHING WITH THAYER SCALES.

Why guess or gamble with improper scales. Use Thayer scales and enjoy eutstanding accuracy, speed and convenience which assure quantity and quality control. Whether yours is a bagging, batching or checkweighing problem involving powder, pellets or dry mixes these important Thayer features can save you man-hours and increase your production:

Shockproof leverage system — no wear-vulnerable knife-edge pivots.

 Automatic control and operation — you minimize "human factor" in weight determinations. Optional design features — capacities, controls, feeding systems, etc., easily designed to suit your needs.

• Precision construction — expert construction to proven design assures accuracy over long

For more complete details on the Thayer Scale suited to your job, write outlining your problem.

Thayer Automatic Filling Scale Model 600G

For holding, filling and checkweighing bags of powdered materials to tolerances within 2 oz. Feeder handles both highly flooding materials and those which flood only at times. Utilizes both gravity flow (plus compressed air or vibration when needed) and positive "dribble" feed. When proper weight is reached, feed gates close and checkweight lights indicate end of filling cycle. If weight is O.K., light flashes and filled bag is dropped or held for push button release.

Handles up to 6 bags per minute of unit weights ranging from 25 to 200 pounds. Also available as a net-weigher. Write for

Bulletin 600G.

Thayer Fully-Automatic Filling Scale Model 400N

New fully-automatic scale for weighing and discharging loads for bagging or batchweighing. Dry materials in granular or pellet form are readily handled by unique feeding system that closely controls amount and rate of feed of any free-flowing material without pre-aerating or separating. Once speed and weighing controls are set, operation is completely automatic.

Handles weight units from 25 to 200 pounds at speeds up to 10 units per minute. Stainless steel feeding system. Also available as gross-weigher. Write for Bulletin 400N.

Thayer Checkweight Scale Model 200R

Automatically indicates weight of filled bags, drums and cartons. Offweight packages are separated from those properly filled by having the motor-driven, two-way conveyor deposit them at opposite ends of scale. Over- and under-weight tolerances are independently adjustable over a wide range.

Dial shows how much each package is offweight and horn sounds as each improperly filled package is discharged. Optional

signal lights, remote dials, etc. available.

Model 200R handles up to 20 packages a minute with unit weights from 20 to 200 pounds. Write for Bulletin 200R.

Thayer Checkweight Scale Model 2005

This Thayer scale has same performance specifications as Model 200R but has the conveyor platform belt only 10" above the floor. With the conveyor located beneath the scale, the spillage from broken bags will fall to the floor and not affect the weight of the bags which follow.

Like the Model 200R, this scale may be equipped with addi-

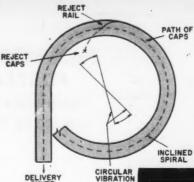
tional dial indicators for installation at remote control stations, colored lights which show whether the package on the conveyor is over- or under-weight, or a printing recorder which records the exact weight of each package. Write for Bulletin 2005.



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Where weight is worth money . . . it pays to be sure!

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Caps are fed at predetermined rate to sorting unit. Vibrating motion sends caps up inclined plane. Only upright caps can get past guide rail

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New shaker caps now come out "right side up"

special caps meant hand operation untilvibrating sorter was installed

H. J. OGLESBE, Manager Finishing Department Abbott Laboratories with R. J. CALLAHAN, Assistant Editor

Abbott Laboratories' Sucaryl (cyclohexane-sulfamic acid) is a synthetic sweetening agent which can be heated or cooked without decomposition. To make the material more convenient to use, a shaker bottle was introduced. Projecting nibs on the irregular cap clogged conventional capping equipment, however. This made it necessary to hand-cap bottles.

An electric vibrating spiral sorter was installed in the line. Circular vibrating motion of the unit sends caps up spiral leading to a chute. A guide rail

on interior surface of the sorter allows upright caps to pass. It returns caps which lie on their side to bottom of the bowl for realignment.

At first, sorter was fed by hand. This proved unsatisfactory because hand loading tended



Projecting nibs of caps jammed regular capping equipment

to choke sorting operation. A vibrating feeder was installed. Working at a predetermined rate, it keeps pace with sorter capacity and capping production requirements.

Results: Abbott improved the work performance of each operator two and a half times. In the nine months method has been used there has been no trouble with any of the equipment.

(Syntron vibrating sorter is manufactured by The Syntron Co., Dept. CP, 110 Lexington Ave., Homer City, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3677 on handy form, pages 2 & 3.)

(Vibrating Feeder is manufactured by Traylor Div., Jeffrey Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 956 N. Fourth St., Columbus 16, Ohio. Check CP 3677A on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

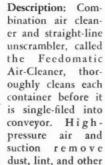
Air cleaning machine saves space by unscrambling containers in same operation . . .

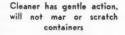
> speeds up to 150 per minute on round, oval, or rectangular containers obtained

Air cleaning and unscrambling of most Uses: standard containers up to gallon capacity.

Compact unit requires about onethird the space that a separate cleaner and unscrambler would. Variable speeds from 30 to 50 per minute on round, oval, or rectangular con-

tainers can be obtained. Unit is silent and has a gentle action with no marring or scratching.





foreign matter quickly and effectively.

(Container cleaning machine is a product of Biner-Ellison Machinery Co., Dept. CP, 1101 N. Main St., Los Angeles 12, Calif. . . . or for more information check CP 3678 on handy form which is located between pages 2 and 3.)

FIBRE DRUMS? STEEL SHIPPING CONTAINERS? STEEL EQUIPMENT CONTAINERS?

RHEEM Announces a Complete Line of Fibre Drums to Provide an All-Inclusive **Shipping Container Service**

To supplement its line of steel shipping and custom equipment containers, Rheem has added a complete line of Fibre and Fibre-Metal drums. These strong, light weight, inexpensive drums come in four types and in a wide variety of sizes.

Choose the Drum that Fits Your Needs



Choose the type that best fits your needs - All-Fibre drums, or Fibre-Metal drums with steel bottoms with either slip or friction covers or with the new, easy to install and remove Rheem-Lox ring. Only Rheem offers all these types of low



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Choose the size that best fits your needs. Fibre drums from 1- to 32-gallons in capacity; Fibre-Metal drums from 5- to 60-gallons. There is virtually a size for every possible require-

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RHEEM STEEL CONTAINERS ARE MADE IN SEVEN STRATEGIC LOCATIONS



Rheem Fibre Drums are being manufactured in four of these plants. Production lines are scheduled for installation in other plants soon.

"FAMILY" IDENTIFICATION

Rheem can furnish on Fibre drums the same type of decorative service it provides users of Rheemcote lithographed

steel drums. Any design or trade mark can be reproduced on an all-over label for Fibre drums in any number of colors to provide "family" identification for your products.

55 gal. Rheemcote



RHEEM MANUFACTURING COMPANY (Mail to Nearest Sales Office, Listed at Left)

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- Please send additional information.

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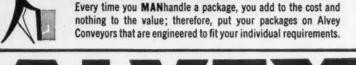
loading docks - reduce tie-ups of trucks and trailers for both incoming and outgoing merchandise.

Motor driven mechanism is reversible so the powered belt operates in either direction. Push button controls permit exact control by the operator.

An Alvey Engineer will be glad to discuss these power driven booms - or any conveyor problem with your technical staff.

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Shipping acid in fiber drums made practical by liner of polyester plastic . . .

> moisture-resistant, chemically inert surface is created by lamination

Lining fiber drums for shipment of corrosive chemicals that would ordinarily cause drum to deteriorate.

By laminating polyester film to in-Features: side of fiber drum, a moisture-resistant, chemically inert surface is created.

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Inner surface of drum is corrosion resistant, due to coating of polyester plastic

The following chart points out the strength of the film after immersion in acids and solvents for different periods of time:

	Days Immersed	Residual Tensile	Residual Tear
((@ room temp)	Strength	Strength
		(I mil film)	(I mil film)
		(psi)	(gm)
(control)		24,000	30
CH,COOH	33	18,000	25
Conc. HCI	5	18,000	20
35% HNO.	7	16,900	6
20% H2SO4	7	23,500	8
12% NH,OH	9	14,200	9
10% NaOH	33	20,000	10
Acetone	33	15,000	20
C2HCI3	33	15,800	22
Xylene	33	21,700	20

(Mylar polyester film is a product of Film Department, E. I. duPont deNemours & Company, Dept. CP, Nemours Building, Wilmington 98, Delaware. . . . or for more information about manufacturer's product reader may simply check CP 3681 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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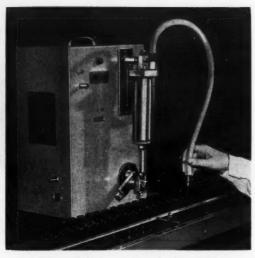
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Teflon piston rings ald operation of vial filling unit . . .

finds use in laboratory as automatic pipet

Uses: In pharmaceutical or cosmetic applications where vials, ampules, and small containers up to $4\frac{1}{2}$ oz in size are filled with any free-flowing liquid, including saturated solutions and suspensions. Unit also finds use in the laboratory as an automatic pipet for dispensing culture media, chemical and serological reagents, and the like.

Features: Filling machine is available with stainless steel filling units equipped with adjustable Teflon piston rings. Wiping action of Teflon rings prevents any accumulation of solids on cylinder walls and enables filling unit to handle any free-flowing liquid.



Volume of fill is accurate to fraction of 1%

Description: Filamatic aseptic vial fillers are easy to use. Setup time is only a few minutes. Stainless steel filling units can be used with all existing models of filling machine. Two kinds of filling unit are available, FU-15 and FU-130. Former has a capacity of 1 to 15cc per stroke; latter from 10 to 15cc per stroke. Delivery volume is varied by means of a graduated micrometer adjustment in measured stages of .001". Volume of fill is controlled to fraction of 1%.

Accessories for unit include an automatic electric counter, foot switch and synchronizer. Synchronizer enables any number of Filamatics to be operated in tandem for multiple nozzle filling.

(Filamatic aseptic vial fillers with stainless steel filling units are a product of National Instrument Co., Dept. CP, 5005 Queensbury Ave., Baltimore 15, Md. . . . or for more information check CP 3683 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)



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Covers stencil marks on boxes, cartons, or drums . . .

labels also erased by tan-colored product which is easily sprayed on

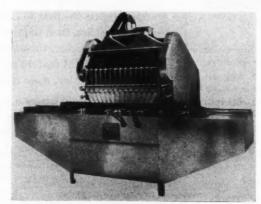
Tan-colored material, which is packaged in a spray can, is used to cover marking errors on new containers or as a means of reusing old containers. It may be used on crates, boxes, cartons, drums, or other containers. This stencil covering, called Stencil-Kover, dries rapidly permitting new stenciling or marking within ninety seconds. It is supplied in 12 oz cans. (Stencil covering is a product of Reynolds Ink, Incorporated, Dept. CP, 4500 Euclid Ave., Cleveland 3, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3686 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Fills tablets and capsules at speeds to 150 a min at 100 count/bottle...

two rows of bottles are fed through machine; "flipper gate" permits handling of both

Uses: High speed filling of gelatin capsules, coated or uncoated tablets.

Features: Unit has a capacity of 100 to 150 bottles a minute of 100 count per bottle. Production is determined by size of pill and count per bottle. For example, on a large size soft shell gelatin capsule, machine can fill 100 bottles a minute of 100 count per bottle. On a coated or uncoated tablet of aspirin size, it fills 150 bottles a minute of 100 count per bottle.



Dust collecting attachment on tablet filler is optional

Machine is equipped with a double manifold filling two rows of bottles during each filling cycle. Operator places two rows of bottles under manifold, then starts machine. First, front row of bottles is filled with tablets and then by use of an air cylinder which operates "flipper gate", flow of pills is di-



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rected to other row of bottles. Machine automatically stops when second row is filled so that operator can shift bottles.

Description: Fully-automatic tablet filling machine will handle bottles ranging in size from ½ to 2½ inches in diameter. Optional dust collecting attachment is to keep slats free from dust accumulation where coated tablets are being filled. Filling bars or slats can be arranged for any count. Change-over time from one size tablet or container to another is rapid.

(Tablet filling machine is a product of Merrill Machinery Sales Co., Dept. CP, 111 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago 4, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3688 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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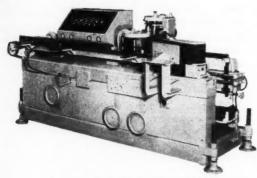
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labeler will handle output of any bottling line

Uses: Automatic placing of labels on bottles of standard or unusual design.

Features: Unit offers push-button simplicity, integrating labels with containers, so that labels are never fed unless incoming containers signal their approach.



Labeler handles bottles at rates to 300/min

Description: Constant-motion labeler, called Aire-Xpress, uses no cams or reciprocating motions. Principle of vacuum label-handling assures precision label placement. Rotary motion of unit exerts full force over entire surface of label for positive adhesion.

Labeler will handle up to 300 bottles per minute, thus providing speed enough to handle flow from more than one filling and capping line, if necessary.

(Labeling machine is product of New Jersey Machine Corp., Dept. CP, 1580 Willow Ave., Hoboken, N. J. . . . or for more information check CP 3689 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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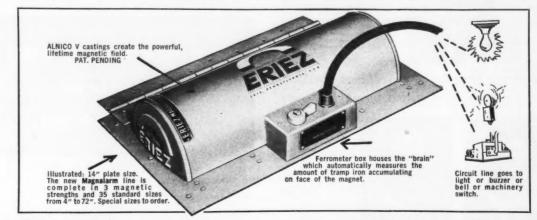
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HOW DOES IT WORK?

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- 4. Reputation-saver by guarding quality...telling you when and how much contamination you are getting in your line.

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special problem. Accumulations of
tramp iron on the magnet could
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periodic inspections and the cost of
damage caused by tramp iron which

"might get by" would result in labor and replacement parts expense. However, Carborundum Company found the new Eriez Magnalarm the perfect answer to its trouble. Inspection and cleaning of the magnetic separator is only necessary now when Magnalarm signals that a predetermined amount of tramp iron has been caught. So important to the company's equipment is the Magnalarm that Carborundum employs the signaling device which automatically shuts down the line the instant the alarm is tripped.

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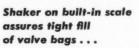
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Uses: Filling polyethylene squeeze bottles with any liquid or semi-solid.

Features: Fully-automatic filling machine, with conveyor, handles 40 to 60 containers per minute; manual model will fill from 15 to 30 per minute.

Description: Inexpensive filling unit, called the Simplex, comes equipped with cone or "U" shaped hoppers, or intake can have direct flow-line connection. Machine also handles 2, 4, or 8-oz glass jars as well as plastic bottles.

(Filling machine is a product of F. L. Burt Co., Dept. CP, 571 7th St., San Francisco, Calif. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3691 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages 2 and 3.)



pre-weighing is eliminated and minimum-size bag can be used, lowering costs

Uses: Packing of powdered, granular, pellet, and fibrous materials in valve bags.

Features: Scale on unit includes shaker which assures tightly filled valve bags, each containing uniform weight of materials being packed. Design of packer also eliminates any need for pre-weighing of materials.

Description: On this multiple-action model of the Auger-matic bag packer, built-in scale includes a shaker which jolts each bag vigorously and repeatedly during filling process. This not only prevents any slack-filled bags, but also permits



Snug fitting spout on packer minimizes dust

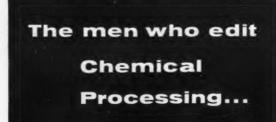
use of minimum size valve bags, thus lowering bag costs. When bag is shipped it arrives at destination just as full as when packed. Unit also has a security clamp which holds bag in place on filling spout regardless of force with which material flows from spout. Operator releases bag when packer shuts

off by raising security clamp handle.

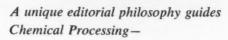
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Description: Automatic filling machine, Model A-1 Pak King, has normal capacity from ½8 to 8 oz with one-half speeds on one pound volumes. It is rated at 25 to 60 containers/min — double or triple this rate, containers permitting.

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engineering and maintenance



As shown in this plastic model, dust-laden air rushes up through marble bed and water bath of unit which -

collects dust three ways

Air-water balance adjusts itself to maintain high efficiency over wide range of air flow

Uses: Wherever wet-type dust collector is applicable.

Unit separates dust from air in three ways: impingement on wetted surface of glass spheres; impingement on bubble surfaces; and entrapment by contact with water droplets. About 85% of dust is separated by impingement.

Design of filter automatically compensates for variations in volume and velocity of air flow. High efficiency is maintained throughout wide range. Air-water balance gives near-uniform separating action within bed of glass spheres. Pressure drop remains constant at about 4" WC.

Here are some typical separating efficien-

cies characteristic of various dusts:

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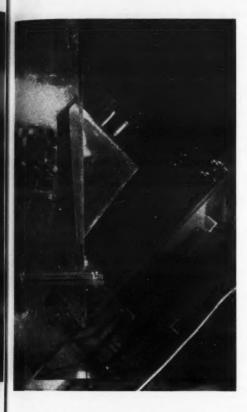
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In some cases where extremely fine dusts are involved, it might be desirable to use two units in series. First collector might remove 80-90% of dust, and second an additional amount, for a total removal of 95% or more.

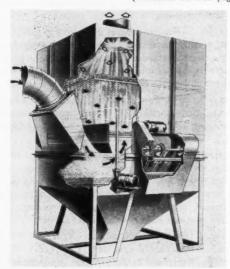
Description: In this collector, called the Hydro-Filter, dust-laden air is drawn upward through glass-sphere filter bed which is flooded with water. Spheres are about 5/8" in diameter. Air stream is finely divided as it passes among wetted spheres, and forces its way through water which is constantly descending through filter bed. Bubbles are formed on surface of water bath by air-water contact.

Above filter bed a turbulent layer of water



droplets and air is maintained. This moist, turbulent air traps those dust particles not separated by impingement on wetted spheres or on bubble surfaces. Depth of turbulent layer is determined by height of overflow weir. Water passing into

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Dust-laden air enters unit at left and is drawn up through filter beds and water. Clean air leaves at top

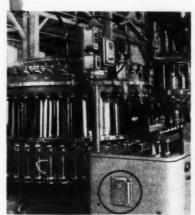
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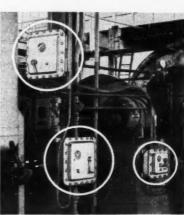
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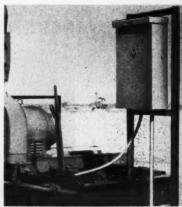
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(Hydro-Filter is a product of National Engineering

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back through air stream to filter bed below.

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longer settling time in tank.

sludge can be filtered.

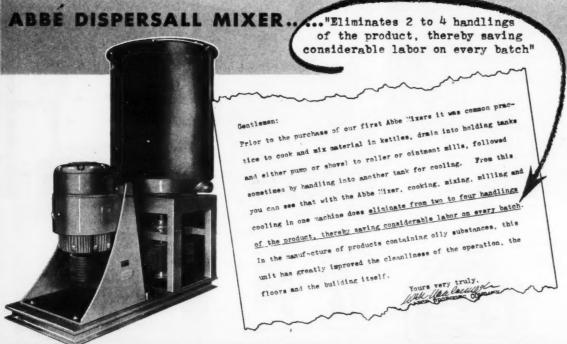
As a primer for galvanized iron surfaces prior to painting.

Features: Product adheres firmly to any galvanized iron or zinc surface. It gives a durable gray finish that can be covered with enamels or other paints. There is no harmful chemical reaction between primer and either galvanized surface or finish coat.

Description: Formulated on fact that zinc adheres to zinc, primer, called Zincoater, combines metallic zinc dust with a phenolic resin vechicle and tung

Material is easily applied by brush, roller, or spray. Dries to touch in two hours. One gallon covers about 700 to 800 sq ft when brushed on. Available in one gallon cans, it is packaged in a two-compartment container for convenient mixing. Unmixed portions remain stable indefinitely.

(Primer for galvanized surfaces is a product of Tropical Paint & Oil Co., Dept. CP, 1128-1300 W. 70th St., Cleveland 2, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3702 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



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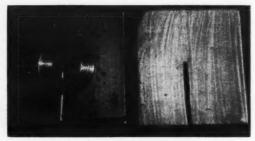
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material is not only abrasion resistant, but also self-lubricating

Uses: Applications now being tested for material include: reducing wear and extending life of relay-latching members in electronic computers; applications where a "case-hardening" effect is desired on brass, plastics, and other softer materials.

Features: Material not only imparts to chosen substrata a hardness and abrasion-resistance almost equal to metallic tungsten, but also is self-lubricating as well. It may be applied by brush, dip, or spray, in any desired thickness.



Hollow steel rod was rotated against brass squares for 20 min @ 1725 rpm under 75 psi. Square on right was protected by hard-surfacing material and was not marked; square on left was worn to depth of nearly 1/16"

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(Hard-surfacing material is a product of The Lockrey Company, Lubricants Div., Dept. CP, P. O. Box J, Southampton, N. Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3703 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Shows typical installations of industrial propellers

Multi-blade propellers for use in aerating, agitating, mixing, and pumping units are described in brochure. Typical unit-installations are pictured. "Industrial Propellers" is available on letterhead request to Columbian Bronze Corp., Dept. CP, Freeport, L.I., N.Y.



Bearings are protected at all times. The Wagner design completely encloses the bearings in a sealed cartridge. Labyrinth seals prevent the entrance of water, dirt and other foreign material. Even when the motor is disassembled, the cartridge remains intact as part of the rotor shaft. The bearing housing stays completely enclosed for full protection against dirt and dust.

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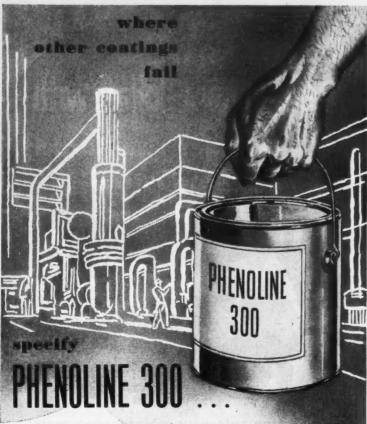
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Flammable chemicals easily viewed in tank . . .

explosion-proof unit lights surface through tank port

Uses: Illumination of tank interiors.

Features: When suspended over tank porthole, fixture illuminates surface of mixture inside tank. Exact state of mixture may be easily observed by operator.



Heavy glass lens of tank light is heat and impact resistant

Description: Developed to assist processing of flammable chemicals, this explosion-proof pendant tank light is equipped with a Type R 75w, 120v spot lamp. It is machined from cast aluminum. Heavy glass lens is heat and impact resistant.

For chemical processing applications, fixture qualifies for use at Class I, Groups C and D hazardous locations. When installed either in a horizontal or vertical base up position, it is suitable for Class II, Groups E, F and G locations.

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Uses: Wherever a chemically inert packing is essential — on pumps, valves, agitators, and similar equipment. Product has also proved effective as an emergency packing that can be readily adapted for use wherever time or other conditions make it impracticable to have preformed packing rings made to order.

Features: Where pure Teflon has failed because of cold-flow, lack of resiliency, and compressibility, this shredded Teflon packing has shown excellent results. It is serviceable from -150° to 550°F and can be used on all packing applications (dynamic or static) that require use of Teflon. It is chemically inert and will not be atacked by any organic or inorganic acids, alkalis, or solvents.

Description: Plastic Packing 403 is composed of shredded Teflon combined with suitable binders and lubricants extruded into an open cotton yarn jacket impregnated with graphite. Packing is also available impregnated with mica for use in the food industry or wherever a non-contaminating packing is essential.

Plastic Packing is easily installed by simply cutting in necessary lengths, coiling around shaft, and placing it into stuffing box by any suitable means. This easy installation is made possible by cotton jacket. Material is available for shipment in continuous lengths in sizes of $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ " in rectangular cross-section by increments of $\frac{1}{16}$ ".

(Shredded Teflon packing is a product of Packing Division, Flexrock Company, Dept. CP, 3611 Filbert St., Philadelphia 1, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3709 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



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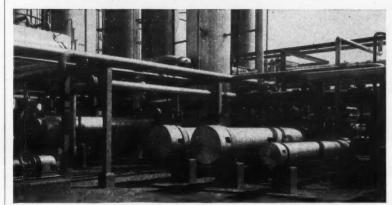
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How to Benefit with Bridgeport Duplex Tubes



Bridgeport Duplex Tubes in condensers and heat exchangers mean longer tube life and greater production.

The list of new petroleum and chemical products grows by leaps and bounds every year. And a variety of new corrosion problems is always close behind. Many new and useful end products, derivatives and intermediate fluids require careful selection of condenser and heat-exchanger tube alloys, particularly those with specific corrosion-resistant properties to insure long tube life and greater efficiency. A wide increase in cooling water pollution and a trend toward greater utilization of salt and brackish waters have added heavily to the burden of tube performance. Corrosive attack from both product and cooling water on single-alloy tubes often results in premature failure from attack by one media or the other. Bridgeport Brass has solved many such double corrosion problems by drawing two specially selected alloys concentrically together into double-walled Duplex

The use of Duplex Tubes in operations subject to different types of inside and outside corrosion offers many advantages.

Longer Service Life

The alloys selected for Duplex Tubes are each chosen for their specific capacity to handle one particular corrosive media. Admiralty Low Carbon Steel

Duplex Tubes for a cooler handling benzol liquid and sea water are an example. In this case, Admiralty has excellent corrosion resistance to sea water while the low carbon steel carries benzol liquid well. A tight mechanical bond joins the two concentric tubes at a metal-to-metal interface. Each alloy is exposed to corrosion on only one surface, that facing the media it was selected to handle. Thus each alloy can perform to the full extent of its service capacity without exposure to attack from the second media. This fact spells longer service life and lower long-term tube cost.

Lower Maintenance Costs

When tubes are made of alloys specially chosen to handle specific corrosive fluids, it is possible to predict much more closely how long the tubes will perform before they require cleaning or replacement. It isn't necessary to shut down expensive continuous operations for premature repairs. Duplex Tubes, with alloys that match the media, will often reduce the frequency of tube replacement and cleaning maintenance costs.

Improved Products

Single-wall tubes are often made of a compromise alloy—one that will give the best possible resistance to corrosion from both inside and outside media. The result can be contamination of a highly refined or carefully balanced product. With Duplex Tubes no such compromise is necessary. The alloy facing the product and the alloy facing the cooling or heating media are both chosen on the basis of their compatibility to their respective fluids. An excelent example of the above is the use of Duplex Tubes made up of Stainless Steel/Copper, or Aluminum/Copper for equipment used to process food products, pharmaceuticals and fine otherwicels.

Increased Production

Bridgeport Duplex Tubes, in some cases, have higher heat-transfer efficiency than tubes of a single metal. For example, Duplex Tubes made of copper and steel used in an ammonia condenser will give greater operating efficiencies than plain steel tubes, due to the absence of an insulating layer of rust and/or organic fouling from algae and slime on the copper cooling-water side.

Greater Safety

Condenser and heat-exchanger tubes are subject to mechanical stress in operation. The force of flowing fluids, operating pressures and temperatures, and the stress of thermal expansion put added burdens on tube walls. By using Duplex Tubes in such combinations as Admiralty/Steel, Aluminum/Copper, and Monel/Red Brass, the best qualities of strength and resilience, as well as heat conduction and corrosion resistance, are contributed by each metal.

Call on Bridgeport for Service

To find out how you can use Bridgeport Duplex Tubes to your advantage, call your local Bridgeport office. Bridgeport's Technical Service or Corrosion Laboratory is always ready to help you select the right Duplex combination for your service conditions. (2156)

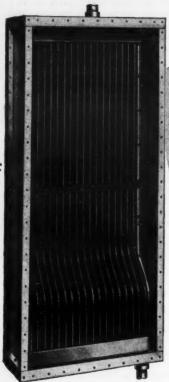


Ask for a copy of Bridgeport's Duplex Tube Technical Bulletin. You'll find it a valuable guide to the selection and installation of Bridgeport Duplex Tubes.

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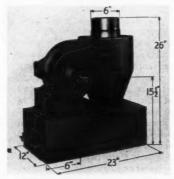
Compact dust collector cleans, exhausts air and gases . . .

unit may be used where needed

Exhausting cleaned air and toxic gases outdoors. Unit is designed especially for control of dusts from individual dust creating machines or those remotely located from a general dust control system.

Features: Compactness of unit permits it to be used where several dust sources require control on an alternate basis. It can be furnished caster-mounted for mobility, and with quick-acting clamps for connecting to dust source and to exhaust outlet at any one of several locations.

Description: Self-contained dust collector, designated Model 5N20 Dustkop, is rated at 558 cfm on a 4" inlet. A multiple-blade, selfclearing paddle wheel fan, directdriven by a continuous-duty 1/3 hp motor, permits collector to be used even where dusts have fibrous content



Collector can be caster-mounted

Dust, centrifuged out by the cyclone separator which is an integral part of the unit, is retained in dust compartment which comprises entire base of collector. Cleaned air, together with any toxic gases, smoke, and obnoxious odors, is exhausted outdoors through 6" diameter exhaust connection at top. (Self-contained dust collector is a

product of Aget-Detroit Company, Dept. CP, 336 Main at Washington, Ann Arbor, Mich. Check CP 3712, pages 2 and 3.)

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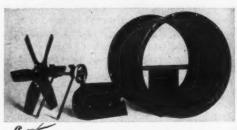
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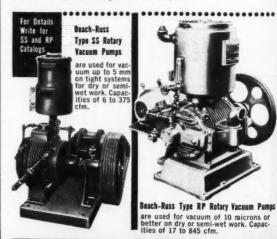
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Uses: Bonding du Pont's Mylar polyester film to a wide range of papers, plastic films, and fabrics. Features: First adhesive, Bondmaster L272, offers high dielectric strength needed for manufacture of laminations used in slot insulations, phase insulation, motors, core and layer insulation in transformers. Material retains full bond strength after constant exposure to 320°F for 672 hr (4 weeks), while offering greater electrical properties than previously existing formulations for this work.

A second clear formulation, Bondmaster L440, is for the bonding of Mylar to paper for sterilization-resistant applications. It is said to retain a strong fiber-tearing bond without discoloring after being subjected to a live steam sterilization chamber for 30 min at 250°F. This resistance to hydrolysis eliminates softness and delamination frequently found when conventional formulations are similarly sterilized.

Description: Application of Bondmaster L272 is by roller coater to film. Film is combined to paper when cement has lost most of solvent, or with 200°F heated squeeze rolls when dry.

Specifications for Bondmaster L272

Viscosity (cps)	7000
Color	Brownish clear
Base	Synthetic rubber resin
Solvent (clean-up)	Toluol
Tack life	Long
Weight/gal (lb)	6-3/4
Solids (%)	311/2
Odor	Faint residual
Solvent (dilution)	Naphtha
Storage (yr)	One

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Application of Bondmaster L440 is by roller coat, 1.5 to 2 wet mils to paper. It is allowed to dry and is combined with film using nip rolls at 160° - 180°F.

Specifications for Bondmaster L440

Viscosity	(approx cps)	5000	
Color		Clear or white	
Base		Synthetic resin	
Solvent	(clean-up)	Ethyl acetate	
Weight/		71/2	
Solids ((a) clear	22	
	white	23	
Odor		Non-residual	
Solvent	dilution)	Toluol	
Storage		Indefinite	

Both adhesives are supplied in 5 gal pails and 55 gal drums.

(Adhesives for Mylar are a product of Dept. P, Rubber & Asbestos Corp., Dept. CP, 225 Belleville Ave., Bloomfield, N. J. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3715 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



WELDCO USED BY FIRESTONE STEEL PRODUCTS CO. TUBING to Fabricate Army Tank Mufflers

WELDCO Type 430-T Welded Stainless Steel Tubing was used in the tank muffler shown above. It was chosen for ALL the tubular parts because it met the heavy-duty requirements of this application. Firestone Steel Products Co., Akron, Ohio, specified WELDCO Tubing because of its exclusive Double-Fusion Weld and excellent fabricating qualities.

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Ready-to-use cement saves joining time of PVC pipe . . .

material sets rapidly, gives tough, positive bond

Uses: Joining rigid polyvinyl chloride pipe.

Features: Cement is ready-touse, offering advantages of time saving and uniform mixing.

Material can be applied easily, sets rapidly, and gives tough, positive bond to joints of rigid vinyl pipe.

Description: Pipe cement, called Plasjoin VC, was formulated in cooperation with B. F. Goodrich Chemical Company. It is available in half-pint, pint, quart, and gallon cans.

(Plastic pipe joining cement is a product of Merritt Products Co., Dept. CP, 1547 East 18th St., Cleveland 14, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3718 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Aid in deburring fragile metals or plastics

For use in deburring and polishing fragile parts such as injected molded plastic, small parts from zinc, brass, or aluminum, company has developed a molded nylon tumbling media. Process used will vary with product, but generally it consists of using media, called Nylaslugs, with an abrasive of proper roughness. After thorough rinsing, media are used with a polishing cream, after which they are tumbled with clean hardwood sawdust.

Nylaslugs are available in various shapes and sizes as may be best suited for parts to be deburred and polished.

(Molded nylon tumbling media are products of Rampe Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, 3320 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland 14, Ohio . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3719 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



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Neoprene, Buna-N utilized in V-ring packings

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Bulletin on molded hydraulic and pneumatic packings is available from Packing Division, Raybestos-Manhattan, Inc., Dept. CP, Arnold & Stiegel Sts., Manheim, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 3722 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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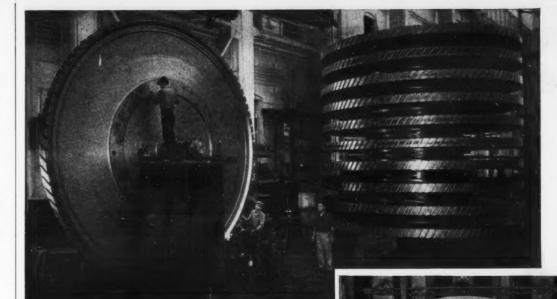
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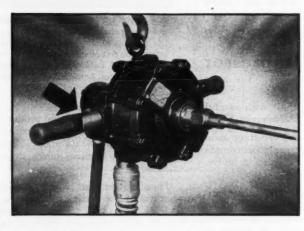
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Reviews applications of strapping

Eleven kinds of strapping (including stainless, Monel, brass, galvanized, and aluminum) and their uses are described in bulletin. Tools and accessories for strapping application are also discussed.

"Steelbinder Strapping" is issued by A. J. Gerrard & Co., Dept. CP, 1950 Hawthorne Ave., Melrose Park, Ill. When inquiring specify CP 3725 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Flexible paper drop cloths are easy to handle and flameproof . . .

afford protection comparable to that of heavy tarp

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(Paper drop cloths are a product of Fibleco Illinois Corp., Dept. CP, 4646 N. Clifton St., Chicago 40, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3726 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



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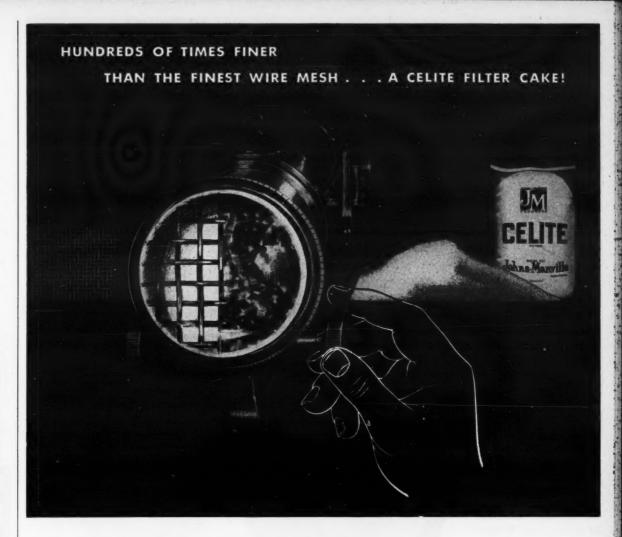
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(Pipe insulation is a product of Gustin-Bacon Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 210 W. 10th St., Kansas City 5, Mo. . . . or for more information check CP 3729 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Low rates of flow controlled by needle valves

Design details and operating characteristics of line of needle valves, engineered for applications requiring precise control of low rates of flow, are presented in eight-page bulletin. Reference material includes a table of nominal needle sizes with corresponding valve coefficients, and a characteristic curve showing per cent of maximum flow in relation to per cent of total lift.

Bul 5C-13 is available from The Foxboro Co., Dept. CP, Neponset Ave., Foxboro, Mass. Specify CP 3730, pages 2 and 3.



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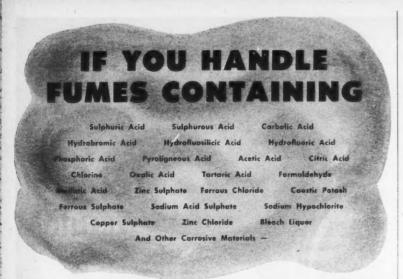


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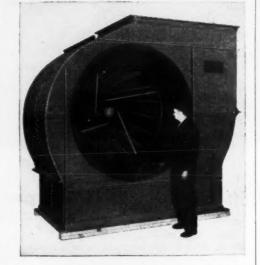
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Economical protection against damage from excess vibration on automatic and rotating machines and other equipment is discussed in four-page bulletin which covers a vibration-responsive device. Unit described is capable of actuation with vibratory displacement increases of less than ten micro-inches at the most sensitive setting.

Bul 500-1 is available from The Beta Corporation, Dept. CP, Forest Ave. at Ridge Road, Richmond 26, Va. When inquiring specify CP 3734 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.



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Uses: As liquid indicators for incorporation into refrigerant or other fluid lines.

Features: All liquid flows through glass and is visible at double port openings in housing. Diagnosis of refrigerant charge is assured.

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High-pressure Pyrex glass tubing is sized for full flow of fluids

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(Liquid indicators are a product of Allin Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, 1153 W. Grand Ave., Chicago, Ill. . . . or for more information check CP 3737 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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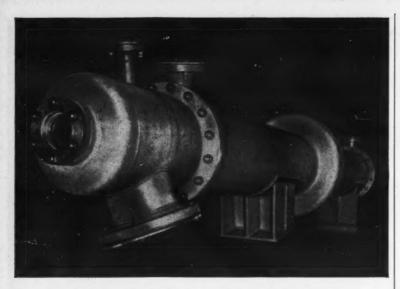
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10"	110	106	96	8.5	76	72	42	40	36
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Cat 654 is available from High Pressure Equipment Co., Dept. CP, 1222 Linden Ave., Erie, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 3741 on handy form, pages two and three.

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Uses: To determine thickness of electrodeposited, hot-dipped, or painted coatings on steel and other magnetic metals.

Features: Thickness tester is about the size of a fountain pen. It will test thickness from 0.0001 to 0.15". Accuracy is within 10% for coatings thicker than .0002".

Description: Pocket-size unit, called the Handi-Gage, works on the principle of magnetism. Proper magnet is inserted in gage, magnet end is held vertically on test piece, and gage is pulled slowly away from test piece until magnet releases from surface.



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(Coating thickness tester is a product of Gardner Laboratory Incorporated, Dept. CP, 4723 Elm St., Bethesda, Md. . . . or for more information check CP 3745 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Top shelves a problem? - handle and step make reaching easy

To solve the problem of little-used top shelves and give a safe method for workers to reach those shelves, step and handle set is available.

Called the Step-N-Fetch, set is made of steel, cadmium-plated. Sized to the ball of the foot, step screws on easily to all standard metal or wood shelving. It is available in two models, one has a rigid step, the other a flip-up step so that it will be out of the way in narrow crowded aisles.

Handle is right size to grasp firmly. All one has to do to reach for something on a top shelf is to step up with one foot, grasp handle with one hand, and with other free hand lift down item wanted.

(Step and handle sets are available from Narva Products, Inc., Dept. CP, 70 East 45th Street, New York 17, N. Y. . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3746 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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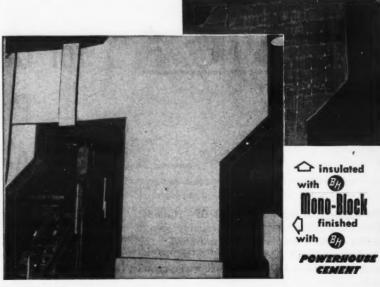
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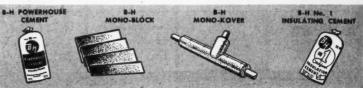
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(Steam generator is a product of York-Shipley, Inc., Dept. CP, 500 Jessop Pl., York, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3748 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Removal of cold-working stresses from gas cap of LPG tanks ends cracking problem . . .

stress-relieving rims assures greater safety, better weldability

For economical reasons, hemispherical heads on highpressure steel tanks used to store liquefied petroleum gas are usually cold-pressed. This leaves an area along the rim or "equator" more brittle than if it were stress-relieved. If this dome-shaped "gas cap" received a hard bump or bang during assembly operations, cracks often appeared.

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Stress-relieved "gas cap" leaves heat-treating setup, continues on assembly line

Removal of cold-working stresses (which may run as high as 100,000 psi) gives greater safety, better weldability.

(Procedure for stress-relieving gas caps was developed by Lukens Steel Company, Dept. CP, 1949 Gillen St., Coatesville, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3749 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Technical performance data on oil evaporation barrier

Technical performance data on microscopic spheres made of phenolic resin which form oil storage evaporation barrier is presented in 12-page illustrated booklet. Results of extensive field and laboratory tests are graphed and tabulated for ready reference. Properties of spheres and methods of installing them in crude oil storage tanks are also presented.

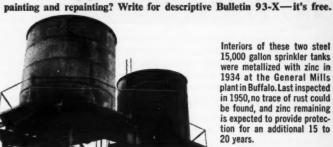
Booklet on Microballoon spheres (trademark of The Standard Oil Company, Ohio) is available from Bakelite Company, a division of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, Dept. CP, 300 Madison Ave., New York 17, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 3750 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.



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Noise from air-actuated devices cut by muffler which minimizes vapor spray . . .

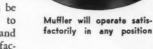
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Elimination of noises caused by high velocity discharge from air-actuated devices.

Muffler operates on company's opposed radial-flow silencing principle. It employs an aluminum deflector shield designed to form an acoustic

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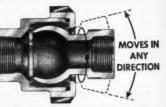




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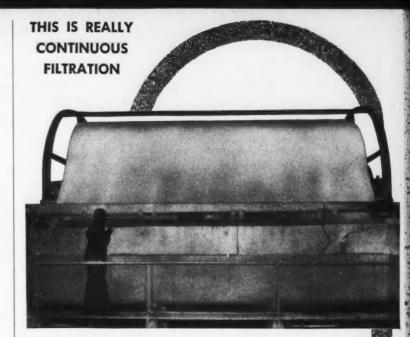
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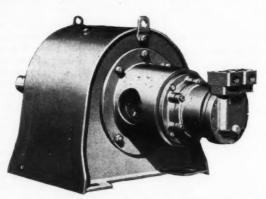
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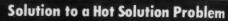
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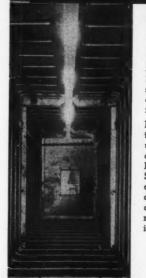


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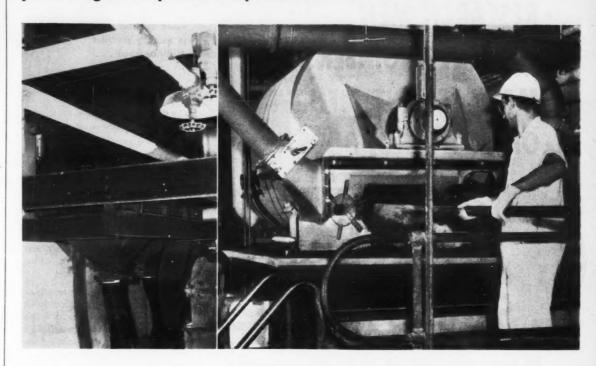
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(Rigid plastic pipe is a product of Industrial Products Division of The B. F. Goodrich Company, Dept. CP, 448 S. Main St., Akron, Ohio . . . or for more information reader may simply check CP 3766 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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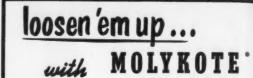
Description: Pumping unit, designated Model 80-50, uses vertical diaphragms. It is capable of developing 72% pumping efficiency at 50-lb head pressure. Capacity at this pressure is 700 gph with speed of 483 rpm. Unit is powered with a ½ hp AC electric motor.

(Diaphragm pump is a product of The Perry Company, Dept. CP, P. O. Box 2057, Waco, Texas . . . or for more information check CP 3776 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Shell molding pictured

Advantages of shell molding over other casting methods are described in a 25-minute sound slidefilm entitled "Shell Molding and You." Included in the visual presentation is a brief, interesting history of metal casting in cartoon form, showing how shell molding fits into the evolution of metal casting tech-

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Uses: Motorized operator for small valves ranging from 1½ to 8" part diameters.

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porated in control unit for manual operation if necessary.

(Valve controller is a product of Philadelphia Gear Works, Dept. CP, Erie Ave. and G St., Philadelphia 34, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3780 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Outlines characteristics of ball valves

Principal technical section of eight-page bulletin is devoted to operating characteristics of manuallyoperated ball valves. Various applications as well as engineering data are also given.

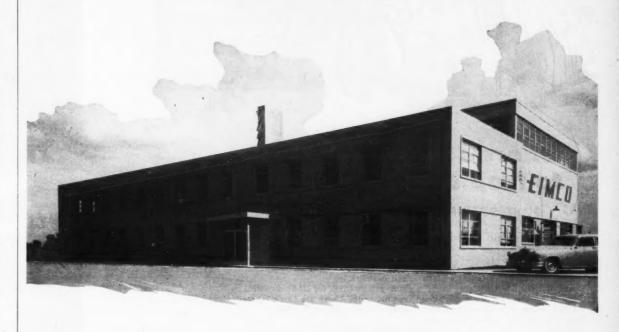
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Use of versatile fittings at plastics plant —

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Longer straight section simplifies installation and minimizes welding

Problem: In order to maintain the product purity required for its resin, a large plastics plant in the East had to prevent contamination in piping system. Decision was made to use stainless steel piping. However, conventional stainless piping and fittings were high in initial cost and would be costly to assemble.

Solution: Since results of using Schedule #5 Type 316 stainless steel piping and Speedline fittings at another one of its plants in 1950 had been quite satisfactory, company recently completed a similar installation at

its new plant. Upper photograph shows piping which carries the resin to be polymerized to the charge system. Resin is transferred at room temperature and 200 psig. Schedule #5 is light-wall, lightweight piping which has adequate strength, yet is economical. High flow and capacity as well as flexibility in installation are permitted by the light-wall piping.

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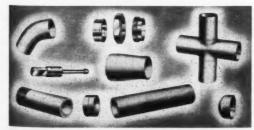
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In the installation at the plastics plant, inserts were welded to pipe only and not to flange, so that the flange could be rotated for easy aligning. In this case it was not necessary to use aligning connectors, eliminating a double job of welding. Pipe is welded end to end, only one welding operation being required.

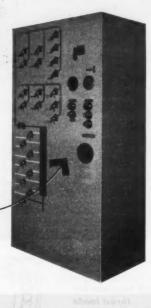
Results: It is estimated that use of the Speedline fittings effected a 50% cost savings in assembly. Any possibility of contamination, as well as corrosion, has been eliminated.

(Light-wall pipe and Speedline fittings supplied by Horace T. Potts Co., Dept. CP, Erie Ave. & D St., Philadelphia 34, Pa. . . . or for more information check CP 3784 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)



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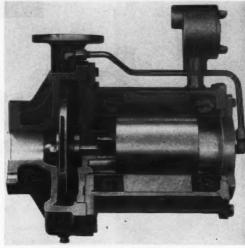
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O-rings eliminated from pump — it remains leak-proof

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Pump handles corrosive fluids

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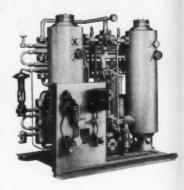
(Sealless centrifugal pump is a product of Station R, Chempump Corporation, Dept. CP, 1300 East Mermaid Lane, Philadelphia, Pa.... or for more information check CP 3787 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

Corrosion featured in December

Titanium, tantalum, zirconium, alloys, aluminum, inhibitors, protective coatings, cathodic protection, and corrosion-resistant equipment will be among subjects covered in the Corrosion Control feature appearing in December CP. For the latest developments on these topics and others — see this issue.

Regular Corrosion Control section will be expanded in this issue to include topics that will be of particular interest to those engaged in solving corrosion problems. Although other sections will appear as always, we will highlight Corrosion Control in December in response to the wide interest readers have shown in this subject.





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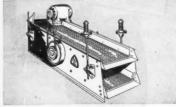
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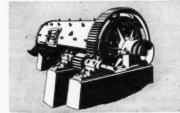
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Hot water under high pressure gets rid of dirt fast on toughest jobs . . .

mobile steam generator supplies 180°F water at 1200 gph and 240 psi

Uses: Heavy-duty cleaning jobs in industry where a large volume of hot water under pressure is needed to remove dirt and other difficult materials, and to decontaminate, deodorize equipment and buildings.

Features: Mobile cleaning unit is designed to do an effective job in three ways: by jetting out 1200 gph of 180°F water under pressure of 240 psi, by mixing hot jet with a detergent, or by steam cleaning with or without detergent.

Description: Hot water cleaning unit, called the Hydro/Steam Model 4989-G, incorporates an automatic 40 hp steam generator. This generator develops 120 psi working steam pressure in two minutes from cold water. It supplies over 1100 lb of steam an hour which is directed through a Sellers Injector where steam heats cleaning water and pressure is increased by venturi in the injector.

Automatic controls on steam generator cause machine to form steam only when cleaning gun is turned on. However, unit automatically cycles on and off to hold working steam pressure. Pressures can be changed from 75 to 290 psi by adjusting one control.

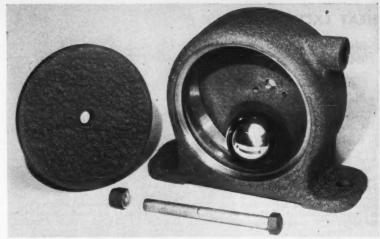


Detergent may be included in high-pressure stream

A 4.5 hp gasoline engine drives generator's feed water pump, blower, fuel pump, and magneto . . . or a 2 hp electric motor can be used. Hot gases from draft fuel-oil fire in unit wipe over steel coils turning water pumped through to steam. Nine gallons of fuel oil per hour are consumed when unit is running steadily.

Cleaning unit is mounted on a two-wheel trailer and enclosed in a metal cabinet. Fuel tanks for eight hours of operation and a float control water supply tank are incorporated in cabinet. High-pressure steam hoses and cleaning gun are included.

(Hot water cleaning unit is a product of Vapor Heating Corp., Dept. CP, 6420 W. Howard St., Chicago 31, Ill. . . . or for more information about manufacturer's product reader may simply check CP 3790 on the convenient Reader Service slip which is located between pages two and three.)



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AiroViber simple design provides dependable, trouble-free vibration

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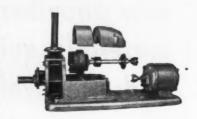
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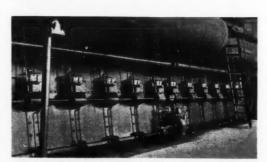
Human element is eliminated from lubrication control on huge engines . . .

force-feed lubricators plus constant-level supply tank give more dependability

At the Coya Sur power plant of Anglo-Lautaro Nitrate Corp. near Tocopilla, Chile, a recent installation was made of two 29" bore, 12-cylinder diesel engines. One of the interesting operating ideas incorporated in the installation is a series of force-feed lubricators, with seven separate pumps and feeds for each cylinder, which supply lubricating oil to the cylinder liners of the engines.

Reservoirs of these lubricators would normally be filled by an attendant while making routine inspections. However, since plant is designed to operate with only the switchboard operator and an assistant, a system for maintaining a constant level in the lubricator reservoirs was developed. This allows assistant switchboard operator to make only one trip per shift around lubricators to see that they are functioning properly. It also assures more dependable lubrication of cylinders by eliminating human element from important task of filling these reservoirs.

For this system a lube oil storage tank was placed in the basement with remote level indication on control desk (switchboard). From this tank, lube oil is pumped in a closed circuit to a small tank mounted on the wall behind each engine. Level in wall-mounted tank is on level with that of lubricator reservoirs.



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Entire engine installation was made by engineers and diesel plant operators of the Coya Sur plant in collaboration with Nordberg Mfg. Co., which supplied engines. This plant is part of a three plant network, all within a radius of ten miles, whose combined power generating facilities amount to a capacity of 46,000 kilowatts.

(Force-feed lubricators are products of Manzel Div., Frontier Industries, Inc., Dept. CP, 244 Babcock St., Buffalo 10, N.Y. . . . or for more information check CP 3795 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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(Ice-removing chemical is a product of The Monroe Company, Inc., Dept. CP, 10703 Quebec Ave., Cleveland 6, Ohio . . . or for more information check CP 3796 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.)

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Uses of low-pressure insulation on cold and hot water and low-pressure steam lines are detailed in four-page data book. Also included is a graphic representation of thermal performance under various temperatures.

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Industrial bulletins pertinent to the reader . . . offering data on products, processes, services

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Gives engineering data on ductile cast iron

Data on machinability, gall resistance, compressive strength, and other mechanical properties of ductile cast iron are included in eight-page, illustrated bulletin. Examples are given on appropriate use. Bul DI-2 is available from The International Nickel Company, Inc., Dept. CP, 67 Wall St., New York 5, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 3800 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Explains flow control system for paper stock blending

Illustrated bulletin (4 pages) explains flow metering equipment suitable for paper and pulp mills. Diagrams aid text in explaining paper stock flow control systems.

Bul 90-130-13 is available from Fischer & Porter Co., Dept. CP, 400 County Line Rd., Hatboro, Pa. When inquiring specify 3800A, pages 2 and 3.

High rate of exchange results from resin's porous structure

Characteristics and operating data of a moderately priced polystyrene cation exchange resin are presented in eight-page leaflet. Resin has capacity intermediate between high capacity polystyrene cation resin and other base exchange products. Porous structure allows rapid diffusion of ions resulting in high rate of exchange.

Graphs show capacity performance at various amounts of hardness in presence of varying amounts of sodium salts, capacity as function of regeneration rate, and other properties. Resin can be used under same conditions as other polystyrene cation resins.

Leaflet 32 is issued by Chemical Process Company, Dept. CP, 901 Spring Street, Redwood City, California. When inquiring specify CP 3801 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Noble metal thermoelements featured in bulletin

Technical and application data on noble and base metal thermoelements are included in 6-page bulletin. Heat- and corrosion-resistant porcelain insulators and protection tubes are also discussed.

While high temperature measurements in excess of 2200°F made with thermocouples necessitate use of a noble metal thermoelement, bulletin points out the possible application, for purposes of greater accuracy, of such an element in lower temperature range.

"Thermoelements Noble and Base Metals" is issued by Charles Engelhard, Inc., Dept. CP, 850 Passaic Avenue, East Newark, N. J. When inquiring specify CP 3802 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Non-foaming valve featured on filling machine

Applications, operation, and features of a rotary, gravity-type liquid filling machine are presented in four-page bulletin. Units described have nonfoaming valves, have maximum fill of 50 fl oz. Bulletin on Dura-Mil liquid filling machine is issued by Turbo Machine Co., Dept. CP, W. Main and Valley Forge Rd., Lansdale, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 3803, pages 2 and 3.

Tetrahydro phthalic anhydride properties and reactions

Of particular value to producers of plasticizers, rubber, resins, adhesives, and pesticides is tetrahydro phthalic anhydride. Four-page bulletin gives properties and important chemical reactions of this compound, as well as seven literature references.

Bul I-1 is issued by National Aniline Div., Allied Chemical & Dye Corp., Dept. CP, 40 Rector St., New York 6, N.Y. When inquiring specify CP 3804 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Written more as a text and reference manual than a filter press catalog, 42-page book is source of current information about industrial filtration equipment and methods. Classified sections devote full discussions on nomenclature and advantages of plate filter press; comparison of flush plates and frames versus recessed plates; construction features of plates; specifications of various models; filterable materials and filter bases; and terminology and step-by-step digest of entire filtration operation—from clothing, closing, filling, washing, and opening.

"Sperry Filter Presses" is issued by D. R. Sperry and Company, Dept. CP, Batavia, Illinois. When inquiring specify CP 3805 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Monomeric, polymeric plasticizers described and appraised

Specifications and descriptions of company's line of monomeric and polymeric plasticizers for vinyl, rubber, and nitrocellulose are give in 32-page booklet. Performance data, including an appraisal of the factors of low-temperature flexibility, volatility, water extraction, oil extraction, and heat and light stability are included.

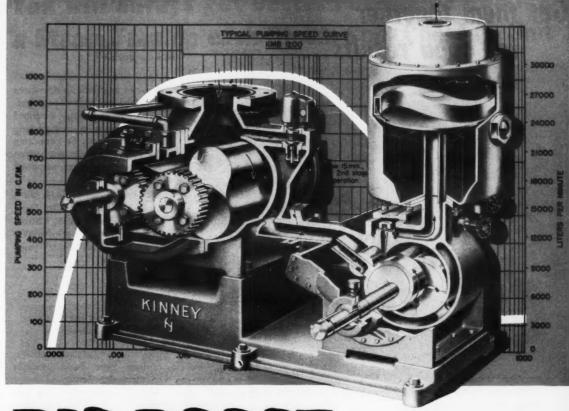
"Plastolein Plasticizers" is issued by Dept. 5, Emery Industries, Dept. CP, Carew Tower, Cincinnati 2, Ohio. When inquiring specify CP 3806 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Tells how to boost water well production

How to restore production in old water wells by removing accumulated scale deposits and by enlarging channels in the water-bearing formation is explained in four-page illustrated folder. Treatment includes addition of inhibited hydrochloric acid which removes carbonates, sulfides, and other deposits that reduce flow.

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NEW LITERATURE

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Reference Sheet 53G is issued by Richardson Scale Co., Dept. CP, Van Houten Ave., Clifton, N.J. When inquiring specify CP 3810 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Bul 90-130-11 is issued by Fischer & Porter Co., Dept. CP, 400 County Line Rd., Hatboro, Pa. When inquiring specify CP 3811 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Illustrated four-page bulletin gives specifications and applications of gas analyzer with a sensitivity of five parts per billion. Detector's method of analysis involves detection of mercury vapor in ultraviolet light. Unit may be used on approximately 22 gases.

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"'Champ' Phenolite" is issued by National Vulcanized Fibre Co., Dept. CP, Wilmington 99, Del. Specify CP 3815, pages 2 and 3.

X-ray analysis charts shown for Illium, Samarskite

Folders show actual charts made on X-ray analysis instrument for Illium, Samarskite, $C_{28}H_{56}$, and Albite-microcline. Specimens of Illium and Samarskite were analyzed for elements on X-ray spectrograph. Albite-microcline and $C_{28}H_{56}$ charts were analyzed on X-ray Diffractometer.

Diffractometer and Spectrograph Charts are available from Research & Control Instruments Div., North American Philips Co., Inc., Dept. CP, 750 S. Fulton Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y. When inquiring specify CP 3816 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Human relations in a "hard sell" period are discussed in Manufacturing Series 214. Article points out that money saved today through automation will not do much good if changeover results in strikes, misunderstandings, tension, and hostility. Management must use the two sciences, automation and human relations, together and not separately if it wants to meet the challenge presented by pushbutton manufacture.

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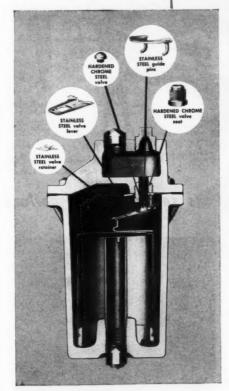
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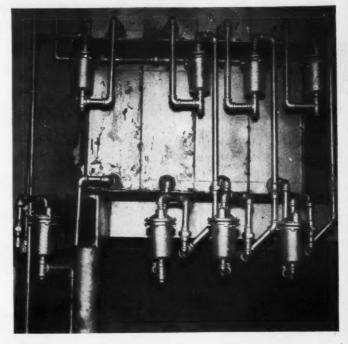
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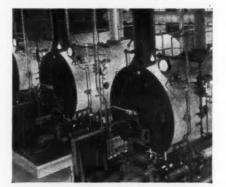
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Selection of gear drives aided by bulletin

Tables of dimensions, weights, overhung load ratings, and thrust capacity ratings needed to select company's horizontal, vertical, or right-angle gear drives are presented in 28-page bulletin. Foldout section includes information on mounting, low-speed shaft connections, and product features. Bul 3100-1954 is available from The Falk Corp., Dept. CP, 3001 W. Canal St., Milwaukee 8, Wis. When inquiring specify CP 3820, pages 2 & 3.

Supplemental bibliography on gas turbines

Supplement to National Bureau of Standards circular on gas turbines, jet propulsion, and rocket power plants extends bibliographical data on these subjects through December 1953. A revision of the 1951 circular, the 110-page bibliography lists some 5000 additional references.

Supplement to NBS Circular 509, "Bibliography of Books and Published Reports on Gas Turbines, Jet Propulsion, and Rocket Power Plants", is available by remitting 50 cents direct to Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D.C.

Explains loss-in-weight instrument for volumetric dry feeders

Illustrated, two-page bulletin gives dimensional drawing and specifications on loss-in-weight indicator-recorder for volumetric dry feeders.

Bul 50-L13 is issued by Omega Machine Co., Div. of B-I-F Industries, Inc., 345 Harris Ave., Providence 1, R. I. Specify CP 3821, pgs. 2 & 3.

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"FACTS" brochure is issued by Tractor Div., Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co., Dept. CP, P. O. Box 512, Milwaukee 1, Wis. When inquiring reader may simply specify CP 3824 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Catalogs complete line of capillary tubing

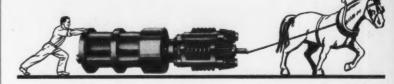
Catalog, illustrated in two colors, lists in tabular form various sizes of precision bore and precision bore capillary tubing. Hair tubing for use in the pharmaceutical and biological fields is listed in a range to 0.4 mm ID and 1.75 mm OD.

Bul 100 is issued by Wilmad Glass Co., Dept. CP, Franklin & Flower Sts., Landisville, N. J. When inquiring reader may simply specify CP 3825 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

Gives theory, design of stress indicator

Illustrated five-page technical paper explains theory of measuring stress in electrodeposits and describes instrument for this purpose known as the Stresometer. In addition to measuring stress in metallic electrode deposits, instrument also may be used with non-metallic films such as paint, lacquer, and plastics.

Tech paper on Stresometer is issued by Joseph B. Kushner Electroplating School, Dept. CP, 115 Broad St., Stroudsburg, Pa. When inquiring reader may simply specify CP 3826 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

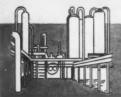


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Corrosion Resistant Alloys

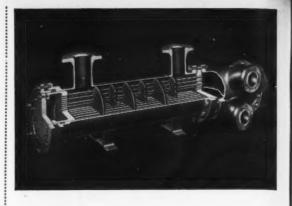
Information furnished by ALLOY CASTING INSTITUTE

Designations for corrosion-resistant alloys have recently been revised. This listing gives properties for principal alloys.

Туре	Composition				Corrosion Resistance	Other Properties	
	C	Cr	Ni	Other			
CA-15	0.15	11.5-	1.0	0.5 Mo	Good atmospheric corrosion resis-	Hardness range 144 to 400 BHN.	
	max	14.0	max	max	tance. Also withstands many or- ganic media in mild service	Weldable, machinable	
CA-40	0.20-	**	**	"	Same as CA-15 alloy	Higher carbon content permits hard- ening to max of about 500 BHN	
CB-30	0.30 max	18-22	2.0 max	_	Provides excellent resistance to ni- tric acid, 'alkaline solutions, and many organic chemicals	Readily machinable, fair ductility, non-hardenable, poor impact strength	
CC-50	0.50 max	26-30	4.0 max	_	Resists dilute sulfuric acid, mixed nitric and sulfuric acids, and ox- idizing acids of all types	Can be machined easily, magnetic	
CE-30	0.30 max	26-30	8-11		Particularly resistant to sulfurous acid and sulfites in paper industry, dilute sulfuric with sulfurous, and sulfuric with nitric	Has better strength and ductility than CC-50, useful where castings cannot be heat treated effectively	
CF-8	0.08 max	18-21	8-11		Especially useful in resisting attack by strongly oxidizing media such as boiling nitric acid	Retains high impact strength at tem- peratures below -400°F.	
CF-20	0.20 max	18-21	8-11		Serves satisfactorily in many types of oxidizing service	High ductility and impact strength, good machining and welding char- acteristics, non-magnetic	
CF-8M	0.08 max	18-21	9-12	2.0-3.0	Good resistance to reducing media, resists pitting corrosion in sea water	Usually employed at operating tem- peratures below 1000°F, ductile and strong	
CF-12M	0.12 max	18-21	9-12	2.0-3.0	Similar to CF-8M, not quite as good corrosion resistance as the former	Preferred for operating tempera- tures above 1200°F, retains strength under those conditions	
CF-8C	0.08 max	18-21	9-12	8 x C min 1.0 max Cb	Resists strongly oxidizing media, similar in corrosion resistance to CF-8	Addition of columbium (or colum- bium plus tantalum) makes alloy suitable for field welding	
CF-16F	0.16	18-21	9-12	0.20-0.35 Se	Not as good as CF-20 type but ad- equate for many purposes	Addition of selenium improves ma- chanability. Good welding charac- teristics	
CH-20	0.20 max	22-26	12-15	_	Better resistance to certain corros- ives than CF-8 type, resists inter- granular corrosion, used for hot di- lute H ₂ SO ₄	More ductile than CE-30 but not as strong, stronger than CF-8 but not as ductile	
CK-20	0.20 max	23-27	19-22		Good resistance to dilute sulfuric	Withstands elevated temperatures	
CN-7M	0.07 max	19-22	27.5- 30.5	3.0 Cu min 1.75-2.50	Withstands sulfuric acid and many reducing chemicals, resists dilute HCI, hot chlorides, and nitric acid	Excellent machining and fair welding characteristics, non-magnetic	

(This chart was condensed from data sheets recently published by the Alloy Casting Institute, who represent about 80% of the manufacturers of corrosion-resistant cast alloys. This is the first complete revision of types, designations, and data on properties in 20 years. Data sheets are available on letterhead request from the Alloy Casting Institute. Dept. CP, 32 Third Ave., Mineola, N. Y.)

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Includes selection tables for plug valve actuators

Tandem actuators for plug valves requiring relatively high torques to operate, and floating bar actuators for use on valves requiring lower operating torques, are described in eight-page bulletin. Also presented is an actuator selection table, typical applications, dimensions and weights, and various mountings.

Bul 3020 is available from Ledeen Manufacturing Co., Dept. CP, 1600 S. San Pedro St., Los Angeles 15, Calif. Specify CP 3830, pages 2 and 3.

Methoxy polyethylene glycols covered in bulletin

Physical properties, specifications, and shipping data are presented for line of Carbowax methoxy polyetheylene glycols. Comparative wetting efficiencies of fatty acid ester derivatives are included. Uses, such as detergents, emulsifying agents, plasticizers, and intermediates are men-

Bul F-6736 is issued by Carbide & Carbon Chemicals Co., a Div. of Union Carbide & Carbon Corp., Dept. CP, 30 E. 42nd St., New York 17, N. Y. Specify CP 3831, pages 2 and 3.

Describes 258 electrical switches, actuators and enclosures

Profusely illustrated, 20-page catalog pictures and describes 258 electrical switches, actuators, and enclosures. Dimensioned photographs, complete characteristics, electrical ratings, and technical data are included.

Cat 101 is issued by Micro Switch, Div. of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co., Dept. CP, Freeport, Ill. When inquiring specify CP 3832 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.



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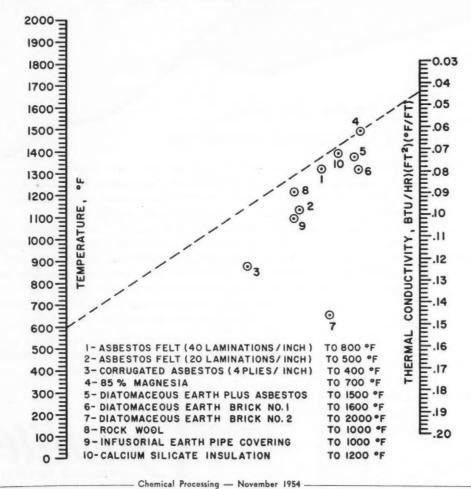
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ASTM Special Tech Pub 41-C "Index to Literature on Spectrochemical Analysis — Part III" may be obtained by remitting \$4.50 to American Society for Testing Materials, Dept. CP, 1916 Race St., Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Fiber shipping containers — the complete story

This 1954 edition of "The Manufacture of Fibre Boxes" has been enlarged to 184 pages. It includes new chapters and revisions of the old to bring them up to date. Subjects — from requirements and styles to tests and selling — are covered. The well-illustrated volume also contains four pages of reference material and an easy-to-use appendix.

"The Manufacture of Fibre Boxes", 1954 edition, is available at \$7.00 the copy direct from Board Products Publishing Co., Dept. CP, 228 N. LaSalle St., Chicago 1, Ill. Specify CP 3835, pages 2 & 3.

Magnetic and belt conveyors covered in 32-page book

Illustrated 32-page book gives engineering data and special engineered applications of magnetic, tube, and steel belt conveyors. Included in booklet are six pages of scaled engineering drawings which show typical applications of various conveyors.

Cat 370 is issued by Prab Conveyors, Inc., Dept. CP, 19815 E. Nine Mile Road, St. Clair Shores, Mich. Specify CP 3836, pages 2 and 3.

Describes application, operation of direct-fired air heater

Applications, operation, typical sizes of directfired air heater are detailed in two-page bulletin. Units described provide source of heat for applications where products of combustion can be mixed with air being heated.

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Processing and Engineering Data



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Heat Content of Refractories

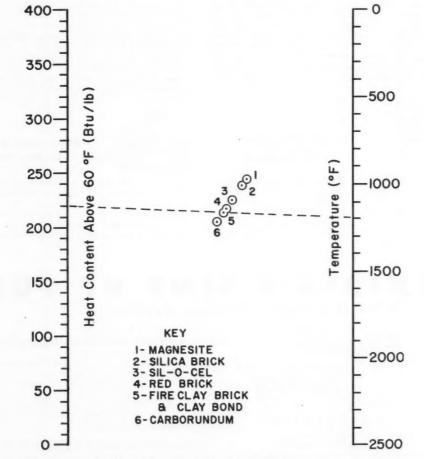
By GEORGE E. MAPSTONE and J. T. MUNDAY

Edited by D. S. DAVIS
Professor of Chemical Engineering
Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Heat content of refractories above a suitable reference temperature is a function of 1) specific heat of the material and 2) temperature. This chart is used to find heat content of some common refractories above a reference temperature of 60°F. Typical Example

What is the heat content of a fireclay brick at 1200°F? Running a straightedge through 1200°F and point 5 (for fireclay brick), heat content is seen to be 220 Btu/lb above 60°F.

LITERATURE CITED. "Gas Engineers' Handbook," p 234, McGraw-Hill Book Co., New York (1934)



Chemical Processing — November 1954-



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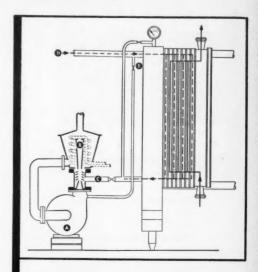
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Estimating Concentration of

RECIRCULATED COOLING WATER

By JULIAN F. MOTE

Edited by D. S. DAVIS

Professor of Chemical Engineering Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Decreased reserves of fresh cold water have led to more extensive use of recirculating water cooling systems. In such systems, concentration of dissolved material becomes greater than that of make up water because of evaporation loss. "Cycles of concentration" is used to indicate ratio of concentration of cooling water to that of the make up. When circulating water has twice the concentration of make up water, the number of cycles is two.

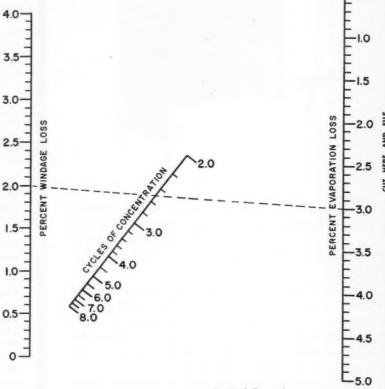
While loss by evaporation causes solution to become more concentrated, loss of fine droplets (windage or drift) tends to limit concentration. And, of course, windage is a water loss which must be made up.

Windage loss varies with type of cooling tower. These are typical values—

Type of Cooling Spray pond Atmospheric tower Mechanical tower Per cent Loss 1-5 0.3-1 0.1-0.3

Evaporation loss can be figured as 1 per cent of the water circulated for each 10°F drop in temperature.

Chart is designed to find cycles of concentration when windage and evaporation losses are known factors.



Typical Example

Water is being cooled 30°F in a spray pond. If windage loss is 2%, what are cycles of concentration?

Dropping temperature 30°F means about a 3 per cent loss by evaporation. Connect this with a 2 per cent loss by windage and read cycles of concentration as 2.5.

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NEW LITERATURE

Chart outlines care of fork lift trucks

Preventative maintenance chart for electric fork trucks shows proper steps for daily, weekly, and monthly servicing and inspection. Chart covers eight weeks of truck operation.

To obtain copies of maintenance chart write Service Dept., Lewis-Shepard Products, Inc., Dept. CP, Watertown, Mass. When inquiring specify CP 3847 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Guide to selection of refractories

Prepared as a helpful guide for the selection of the most suitable refractory materials for specific uses, 28-page informational booklet describes available refractory products and contains engineering and other data tables useful in connection with application of refractories in the ceramic industry.

"Norton Refractories for the Ceramic Industry" is available from Norton Company, Dept. CP, 567 New Bond St., Worcester 6, Mass. When inquiring specify CP 3853, pages 2 and 3.

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Illustrated folder (folds to 81/2 x 11" pages for filing) illustrates and describes full line of material handling equipment. Included in the publication are ramps, pallet stackers, and crane hooks.

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Data Sheet #3-100 is issued by Dow Corning Corp., Dept. CP, 592 Saginaw Rd., Midland, Mich. When inquiring specify CP 3858 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Illustrated 340-pages thumb-indexed catalog shows chains and sprockets for conveying, elevating and power transmission. Also covered are enclosed gear drives, ball and roller bearings, clutches, pulleys, and couplings. Catalog gives complete data on all of manufacturer's products in material handling field.

Cat 950 is available from Link-Belt Co., Dept. CP, 307 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 1, Ill. When inquiring specify CP 3859, pages 2 and 3.

Shows, explains installations of fire protection systems

Carbon dioxide and foam fire extinguishing systems for protection of plants is explained in eight-page brochure. Typical installation is described in picture-story.

Jan-July, 1954 issue of "Blazes" in published by American-LaFrance-Foamite Corp., Dept. CP, Elmira, N. Y. Specify CP 3860, pages 2 and 3.

Describes geological surveys by radioactive methods

Illustrated four-page bulletin shows radioactive equipment used in petroleum exploration and uranium prospecting. Equipment described includes shielded scintillation counter, count rate meter, and Esterline-Angus recorder.

Bulletin "Geological Surveys with Radioactivity" is issued by Nuclear-Chicago, Dept. CP, 223 W. Erie St., Chicago 10, Ill. Specify CP 3861, pages 2 and 3.





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NEW LITERATURE

Chlorobenzenes described

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"Chlorinated Benzenes" is available from Organic Chemical Sales, The Dow Chemical Co., 1000 Main St., Midland, Mich. When inquiring specify CP 3865 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Illustrated four-page leaflet shows latest equipment for laboratory use. Laboratory agitators, dehumidifiers, test cabinets, portable hardness tester, and ultraviolet light source are some of the items described and illustrated.

"Newsletter No.4" is issued by Gardner Laboratory Inc., Dept. CP, 4723 Elm St., Bethesda 14, Md. When inquiring specify CP 3866 on handy form, pages 2 and 3.

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Illustrated 16-page engineering bulletin describes Dall Flow Tube, a differential producing metering device. Bulletin includes information on recovery characteristics, accuracy, applications, range, flow formula, laying length, and working pressure of the device. Tables and graphs are included in bulletin to aid in selection of proper flow tube and accompanying secondary instruments.

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COLOR FILM

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Dr. Staud wonders whether his innocence might not have been one of the factors in selecting him for the errand. Had someone who presumably knew the "impossible" nature of the task asked for such a film, the reaction of the coating superintendent might have been less than cordial.

The prize set of difficulties came one step later. Mannes and Godowsky, with the help of Dr. Mees and the Kodak laboratories, did have such a film. But, had they taken a picture with it and developed it in the normal way, they would have gone through an enormous amount of work only to produce a black-and-white negative. There remained the trick of putting it in color as a positive.

In order to do this, they proposed to develop the film, changing exposed silver halide to metallic silver. This would correspond, by its layer, to intensity of each color. More important, this development would leave unchanged (sensitive) silver halide proportional to the *absence* of the color to which the layer was sensitive. A second exposure to light was to be followed by development with dye intermediates (coupling agents) and a developer which yielded a dye as an end product. Hence with the positive silver image, a dye image would be formed.

But the color of the dye image would be complementary to the color of the sensitivity in each layer. Thus a yellow image in the blue-sensitive layer; magenta in the green; cyan in the red. When the silver was removed, then, a dye image would remain. This image would have an intensity proportional to the absence of its complementary color — producing a true color picture of the original scene.

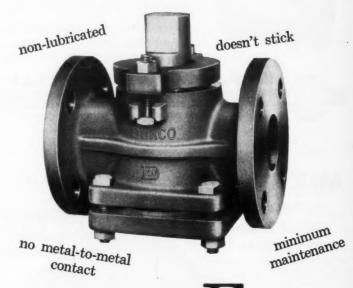
Complicated? Incredibly so. But not half so bad on paper as it was in practice. Problems involved matching sensitizers to final color, maintaining proper speed in each color, and above all, finding sensitizing dyes which did not wander willy-nilly from one emulsion layer to another and destroy all that was gained through the other techniques. Wandering dyes were the greatest single stumbling block until the early '30's.

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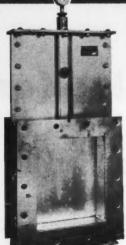
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the work consolidated a new era of "make it today, test it tonight, we'll look at it in the morning and decide" began.

By 1934, Dr. Mees, Dr. Staud, and other staff members were joking about their "two-and-one-half" color process. They almost had a three-color film that produced satisfactory results.

Late in 1934 the first Kodachrome was available for limited use. Control of the coating sometimes did not quite split hairs as it should have (though inaccuracies would have been well within limits for dozens of other products). There was a serious waste problem. Despite all this, people were getting good color pictures. In 1935 Kodachrome was released to the public.

At this point, Dr. Mees made a bet (loser to buy a dinner for the staff) that within three years half of the 16mm movie film sold would be color film. Oldtimers still remember the dinner party that took place in two years instead of the three that Dr. Mees had allowed himself.

What else is ahead for color photography? Plenty of old and new problems, for one thing. And, in general, a growing market for both still and motion pictures in color. In the professional motion-picture field, for example, a quite large and varied group of color processes are now being used. They include such well known names as Warnercolor, Pathecolor, Technicolor, Anscocolor, Trucolor, DeLuxe etc.

In recent years an increasing percentage of Hollywood and New York productions has been in color. Many producers of television films are also shooting color, against the day when color television is more widely available. Kodak is represented in this trend to color movies by the Eastman Color negative and positive films which became available within the last few years. Producing a practical multilayer movie film was a tough one for the Kodak laboratory to crack — 17 years of work stood behind its announcement.

Another interesting problem is keeping Kodak research people at work these days — color lithography. Standard printing techniques for reproducing art in "four color process" are tricky, moderately involved, and expensive. Despite the fact that Eastman Kodak does not envision a large market in any new methods for accomplishing such printing, they do feel that printing techniques will have to improve to permit wide applications of color photography to the graphic arts.

Color photographs have become commonplace with us. They are produced by routine processes which have become commonplace to the men who operate them. Even so, the chemistry or even the basic idea behind the method is complexity incarnate. The fact that such pictures exist, is a tribute to the determination of George Eastman, Dr. Mees, and all the other members of the team who have explored and conquered this never-never land of color photography.



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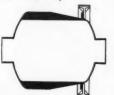
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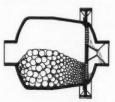
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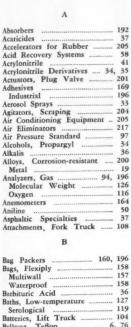
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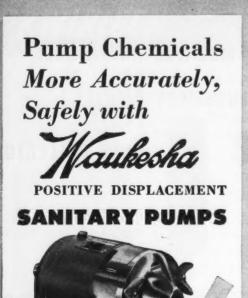


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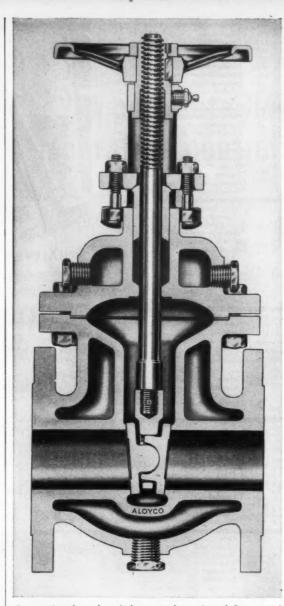
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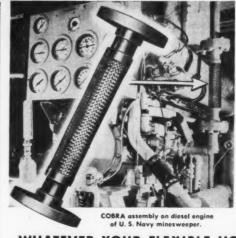
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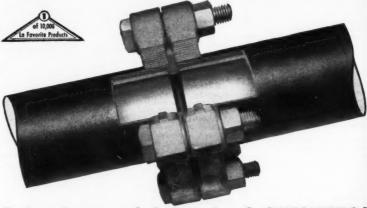


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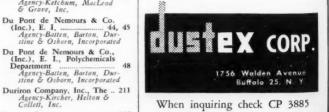
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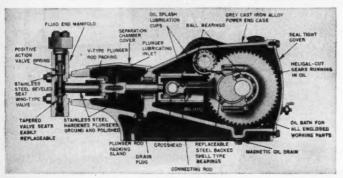
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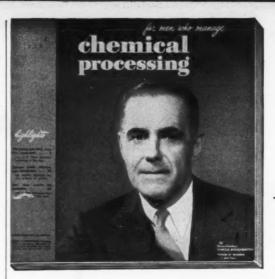
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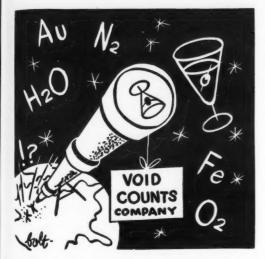
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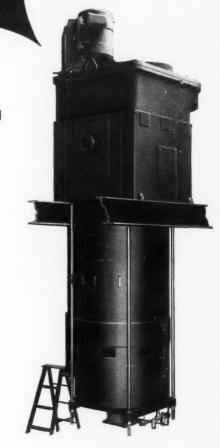
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